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# Counting-House Calendar

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Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1930

Since 1911, when we moved into a house built amid live oaks on the north-facing slope of Strawberry Canyon, I have been interested in the relationship of birds and the small cut worms which feed on the oak leaves. Evidently the worms had been particularly destructive during the summer of 1911 for ~~in~~ the fall their cocoons were everywhere conspicuous in October when we moved in. In the spring <sup>of 1912</sup> we had the trees sprayed. At that time my notes were mainly records of first identifications, dates of arrival of birds already familiar, with occasional lists of birds seen on walks through Strawberry Canyon. The only record of particular abundance of insect-eating birds for that year is dated Sept. 15 when a flock of <sup>migrating</sup> Black-throated Gray Warblers and Warbling Vireos was seen feeding in the oaks. Notes of 1913 contain no information of value but from 1914 to 1942 many records of abundance were included and with increasing frequency ab-

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observations of birds eating the cut worms were set down.

It is a matter for regret that the opportunity for exact records was not immediately seized and systematically followed during these twenty-eight years. But perhaps enough evidence has been collected to justify a tentative generalization regarding this very practical question: Is it necessary to spray the live oak trees every year?

Live oaks (*Quercus*) in Berkeley put out new leaves about the middle of March, blossom by the first of April and are in full luxuriant foliage, with practically all the old leaves fallen by April 15. If the worms are abundant, droppings become conspicuous on the paths in early April and may increase for two weeks or more. If they continue to increase beyond the third week in April there is danger of almost complete defoli.

Saturday, Jan. 4, 1930

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Sunday, Jan. 5, 1930

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ation of the trees. For by that time the main migration of the birds that feed on the worms is ended. Also the number of resident birds that search for them decreases as the worms increase in size. Robins, Blue jays and Grosbeaks are almost the only birds that take the full grown worms as compared with Bul-tits, Wren-tits, <sup>R. Kinglets</sup>, Vireos, Warblers, Purple Finches, Siskins <sup>and Towhees</sup>, ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> Song Sparrows <sup>and</sup> ~~which~~ are eager in their search when the worms are small.

Monday, Jan. 6, 1930

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Tuesday, Jan. 7, 1930

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## Birds - in Retrospect.

I am taking you tonight on a very long bird trip - one that covers forty years and ~~a great deal~~ of territory. I regret very much the fact that so many years were lost before the beginning of the forty years for if I had <sup>only</sup> begun my interest in birds the year I was born I might include in these recollections the reactions of birds to an invasion of seventeen year locusts on a midwestern farm.

My New England parents were filled with the pioneer spirit and kept moving west from the state of their birth - New Hampshire.

My father's mother was the first white woman in the County where the family settled. And after my mother's graduation from Mt Holyoke in the time of

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Many Lyons, the newly married couple established their home in Minnesota. Later they were attracted by the reports of the fertility of lands in Missouri and transferred their household gods to that state.

Probably there were plenty of adversities before the date of my birth but that year an army of grasshoppers (as they were called then), marched in solid phalanx across the farm. When the central division came to the house they went up the front walls, over the roof and down on the other side. And after they left had crossed the farm there was not a blade of green left on the whole place. Such was the story that I heard my father tell when I was old enough to understand.

When I was six years old the lack of educational facilities for a family of growing children



Thursday, Jan. 9, 1930

led to a change of residence to an eight acre place on the edge of the village. The children had plenty of room to roam and just over our boundaries were wood-lands and grazing fields where we became familiar with most of the flowers. We knew much about snapping turtles from first hand experience but birds just didn't register. I like house wrens and cow-birds and redwings (scarlet tanagers), and the hunters in the family brought in mourning doves, Prairie Chickens, Bobwhites, Snipe and Quail. The large white bird caused quite a sensation in the village as something very new but not a new bird. Whistling Coon - I shall never know. I have no recollection of Passenger Pigeons in the family diet.

In the fall of 1888 the migration to California occurred. My father had come out the year

Friday, Jan. 10, 1930

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before to look over the ground and had selected Pomona as the best location because a college was in "process of becoming" there. It was still in the form of a private school at the time when we arrived and my next older sister entered it immediately.

The next year the budding college was given a boom hotel that had been built to boost the settlement of Claremont. The boost had come too late and aside from the rambling hotel there was little inside a very good crop of white stables that showed above the sage brush. My parents secured the only eight-roomed house there and a few months later I was admitted to the preparatory school. Six years later I graduated in the same class with my sisters - the second class to complete the required course. I leave you to imagine what

Saturday, Jan. 11, 1930

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I might have done, in leisure hours during those years in the midst of such unspoiled territory. But, woe is me, I hardly knew that there was a bird world anywhere. Burrowing Owls were everywhere underfoot and Roadrunners were too abundant and too astonishing to completely escape our notice.

But even when, at the end of a basic course in Zoology, Prof. A. J. Cook, suggested that each one of us choose one branch of the animal kingdom for a week's study and I, for some unknown reason, chose birds; even when I was given specimens ~~and~~ of grouse and quails and Spotted towhees to bring through 'Conoco' Key and identify, it never got under my skin. I think I supposed that Prof. Cook brought those specimens from Michigan.

I remember that one evening I attended a meeting of a Scientific Society where much of the talk

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was about the control of scale in the orange groves. Frank Dillingworth turned the attention of the group from scale to hummingbirds and his observation was one of the very first things that made me realize that the world of birds was worthy of attention.

One of the penalties (or privileges) of being in such a small college was that each one of us was required to give a "chapel oration" (a high sounding title for a very feeble effort) each year and when we graduated ~~and~~ each one had to speak before the assembled guests. My effort to impress upon them the desirability of having an avocation was a purely perfunctory humbug for here was I, graduating from college, without the remotest idea of any concrete avocation.

Well the next missed opportunity came when I taught



Monday, Jan. 13, 1930

my first school in a little country district, seventeen miles from Temecula; and lived four miles from the school house on the eastern slope of Smith Mountain. The road to the house was such that my pioneer father refused to drive up it a second time when he came to fetch me in the spring.

I thought I was being very thrifty of time when I read aloud to the thirteen year old girl who drove me and her younger brother to school each day. Such was my blindness in 1896.

The next year I was teaching in Whittier and the chairman of the Board of Education, had two sons in the school. And the name of one of them was George Willst. Between you and me, his seat was empty most of the time and I was never able to find out why. If he had been the teacher and I the pupil, just think what I might have learned from him! He be-

Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1930

you contributing notes on his observations of birds to bird magazines in 1875. I don't know that.

A year and a half in the Los Angeles High School and then I married and came to Berkeley to live - with the reputation still unbroken. Quite frequently wives asked me if I played cards and I responded that "I didn't know an ace from a spade" - and thanks fortune that reputation was permanently closed.

The next year I happened to read in the May Atlantic an article by Fairfield Torrey called "May in Franconia". That was a real eye-opener and ear-opener. It had never occurred to me that a person could learn the notes of birds and recognize them. That was a "near hit" - and the next year when my husband brought me a copy of Charles Keeler's recently published "Bird Notes

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afraid" I got busy. But it was slow going. It was worse than not knowing an ace from a spade. I didn't know a robin from a thrush nor a beldoer from a plover. I thought I had identified a Lark Sparrow and months later I found it was a Song Sparrow. There was no help available and I had to sink or swim - and three times out of three I sank.

When the summer vacation came in 1901 we had followed the advice of friends and were ready for a tramping trip in the Sierra. We left on the afternoon of Commencement Day, went to Sonora and bought a burro. We had our saddles, boxes packed and got a prospector to teach us the diamond hitch. Then we ~~started~~ were off for Yosemite - at a very slow pace. We walked in by the Big Oak Flat Road, camped in the Valley a week, in June.

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Yosemite a week, went up Clouds Rest from there - then out by way of Glacier Point and Chinquapin to the Wawona Road. We spent a day in the Wawona Big Trees, most of it at the foot of the Grizzly Giant, and then down, down at a good stiff pace to Raymond where we gave away our donkey and took the train to Berkeley - We were out \$12 - the cost of the donkey - ~~and~~ <sup>plus</sup> our railroad fares - and had had the time of our young lives. How many birds did I see? A pitifully small number. On one of our first days out a Wood Pewee was building its nest <sup>in</sup> under the yellow pine under which we rested at noon time. Railings from a gunny sack in our pack furnished materials for the nest.

At Hodgdon's (near Carl Den-  
in modern geographical terms)



Friday, Jan. 17, 1930

between stones, I found a Hermit Warbler. I did not know enough to appreciate the significance of such a find - for a rank beginner. In Yosemite I found a Black-throated-Gray Warbler and a Creeper. In Little Yosemite a Blue-footed Jay carried off our soap; Mountain Quail were everywhere and ~~one~~ a King Bird watched me up every morning with its exquisite song but stayed high in a red fir - too far to see without glasses. Then on a better day it came down to talk and showed its song - again.

When we went up Clouds Rest we found Tanager and up on the snow line, there were twenty or thirty very noisy very striking birds - gray and black and white. How nice have I had the good fortune to find so many "White-throats" having a "town meeting". They certainly were dis-appearing

the affairs of their universe -  
well, and if it was a short first  
bit of birds it was a choice one.

In 1902 during the winter I  
straightened out the song sparrows  
and identified the house sparrows,  
blackbirds and lincolns. In April  
I learned the black-headed grosbeak  
but it was identified by a yellow  
bird that sang a song of very dif-  
ferent quality from any I had heard  
before. I finally learned some  
1. a pair of birds in a nest of  
straw. How it happened that  
I didn't see a house sparrow  
until May is more than I can  
imagine - in June a yellow  
throat and a yellow warbler  
were the fruits - beautiful fruits -  
of my efforts.

Our vacation that year  
was limited to a week in August,  
at the close of summer school.  
We took the train to Summit (Dover  
P.O.) where there was a railroad  
hotel where we spent the night.

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In the middle of the night I was sure the world had come to an end in the grand explosion - but it was only a train which, when it came out of the tunnel to the east, poured its accumulated volume of sand out through the branching snow shed that connected with the entrance to the hotel.

The next morning a man took us and our paraphernalia along the old road (still used by sheep herders) to our camping place on the bank of the little stream which empties into Donner Lake at the west end. We had a tiny A tent made of muslin into which paraffine had been poured and here we were grateful for a really water proof tent. For we were treated every day to a thunder storm. We were never in the tent when the storm <sup>gave</sup> for we spent our days up among the charming little glacial lakes that lie like jewels

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among the granite reaches of the peak to the north of the pass.

The last day, when the storm broke, we took refuge under a tiny red fir while the lightning struck Donner Peak, then Castle Peak, the peak behind us and finally before departing struck a tree at the head of Donner Lake and shattered it into kindling wood. My husband thought it was the most glorious sight he had ever seen, but, having lived in a house that was struck by lightning in my childhood, I was not so keen about thunder storms.

And what about my next avocation? I find just one record of a new species - the Mountain Chickadee which was omnipresent.

The following winter, <sup>1905</sup> recorded John Waxwings in February, Anna Hummingbirds, Western Robins and Flickers in March, and in April another Bullock Oriole, Goldfinches, Lutescent and Pileolated Warblers, Warbling

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Vireos and Chipping Sparrow. The Vireo was especially satisfying because Bradford Torrey had quite a bit to say about the first Vireos at Franconia and that seemed a peculiarly strange and unaccountable bird to me. I suspect the reason for this is that in English literature there is no mention of Vireos whereas larks and warblers, Thrushes and sparrows are often mentioned.

In 1903 we were again able again to spend our vacation in the mountains and two friends agreed to go with us - Prof. and Mrs. Charles R. Keyes. Prof. Keyes was just leaving California to take a position at Cornell College in Iowa and our plan was this: My husband and I would go to Iowa, and buy two burros and make preparations for the trip. A few days later Mr. and Mrs. Keyes would join us and we would start on the long Trek to Lake Tahoe. We would return to Berkeley by the Placerville Stage and Mrs. Keyes would take the train east at Truckee.



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Mr. Keys was an ornithologist and you will find in the first two numbers of the Condor for 1925 his accounts of this trip. He looked up what had been published previously (mainly by Mr. Eugene Golding) and included only what was new.

But for me practically everything was new and it long kept there was someone to whom I could turn for help in identifying birds.

During recent years from Sonora we crossed Tule Mountain on our way to Colima's Ferry - (at one time called San Juan and now Melones with a bridge over the Stanislaus -)

we followed up the Stanislaus to Summit Valley at the head of the Stanislaus. There we took a

trail to the west and across through Shasta and Foothill Valleys to the head of Pit Carson Pass.

which we found a few miles east of the pass. On we went through Hope Valley - but not on an ordinary road, - over

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Letters, June 2-10, 1903, to the author of the 17  
and to a friend of mine at the time  
of the first trip. The first trip was during  
the first fortnight in July, 1903.

During this long trek the going  
was good, not always underfoot -  
but there was nothing to prevent  
our seeing everything there was to  
see, except the limit of our own  
capacity to see and understand.

Yes, the going was good but the stop-  
ping was even better.

First we stopped at Uncle's Ranch  
in the blue oak, <sup>yellow</sup> pine region  
where the nest of a *Scolecophagus*  
was the prize found. At Douglas  
Flat there were *Phainopepla*,  
much to Mr. Reyes' surprise. We  
spent June 2-10 in Camp at Gard-  
ner's (now Dorrington), working  
there and also in both the North  
and the South California Groves.

My list there was really very  
encouraging - The *Hirundo* Flycatcher  
was beyond my powers of observation.

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from but I felt quite familiar with  
the birds. I saw a pair of Fox Sparrows,  
Green-tailed Towhees and  
14 Star Throats before we left. My great-  
est thrill came when I was wander-  
ing by myself not far from camp  
and came upon a ~~Belted~~ Woodpecker  
hammering at a fallen log. He cer-  
tainly made the chips fly.

At Belvidere in Bear Valley at 7000 ft.  
we were at one of Mr. Baldwin's ob-  
servation posts. <sup>The weather being very fine</sup> We stayed a week  
there, camping between snow banks  
on the granite ledges. I had a list  
of western birds, among them the  
Williamson Sapsucker. When we  
started on, Mr. Reyes stayed over  
a day to complete his records of  
his nests. His report in the  
Gleaner included: 3 nests of  
Mt. Quail under dwarfed man-  
zanita and one under Ceanothus.  
This last nest contained 2 in eggs,  
in two layers; 1 in the lower, and  
1 in the upper. A white-crowned  
Sparrow's nest, under veratrum,  
contained 4 eggs on June 13, and

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a Pileolated Warbler's nest in a similar situation, 4. It was, I think, this last nest which led him to postpone his departure for he wrote that the adults were never joined near it until the female began to brood, then she allowed him to come within two feet without flushing. This nest was lined with white cow hair.

On this extra day he also found a nest of a Wright Flycatcher in a dead branch of a living cactus 2 ft from the ground.

At Blue Lake there was a crew of 40 men busy at some development project - probably electrical, and this was the last place where supplies could be bought. We spent a night in Faith Valley which is the most beautiful of the three canonical valleys and the only place where we encountered difficulties - first from mosquitoes which were annoying and second from high water. The ridges between the valleys were still covered with snow and Clarke Nutcrackers were always encountered. But no Lemmings.

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Soon after leaving Faith Valley we came  
 (On June 23 we crossed Hope)  
 into the road above Kit Carson Pass and  
 went on to Hope Valley - not over an ~~un-~~  
 faced road - The ~~Swain~~ no less, Robins were  
 feeding young, Mt. Bluebirds and Pileolated  
 Warblers were abundant. And then we  
 dropped down to the upper Truckee ~~and~~  
 the Lake Valley. High water and no bridge!  
 My husband and Mr. Hayes had <sup>on ahead of</sup> gone across  
 in a wagon that ~~chanced~~ to come along  
 (we learned later), but for us there was no  
 wagon. We went to a dairy (I am told it  
 is still there) to ask if there were any crossings.  
 They offered to catch a horse and take us  
 across. In the meantime we all had  
 fresh milk - a wonderful treat, - and  
 watched longingly while the cook took  
 buttered pies out of the oven. But  
 she was evidently not authorized to  
 sell pies. Near Hayes we found a  
 short trail across to Fallen Leaf Lake -  
 the end of our long journey. The two  
 men finally came in about dark, having  
 gone on to Bijou before they turned toward  
 Fallen Leaf.

By the first of July we were ready to

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explored Glen Alpine and then to Mt. Tallac. On the highest rock on the summit of Tallac it surveyed as Mt. Bluebirds survey of the world of lakes and mountain peaks. We left him there when we returned to our camp at Timber Lake.

When we broke camp at Timber Lake we waited a long time for the Glenville stage. Finally a passer-by told us it did not run on Sunday. We realized then that the conventional arrangements of civilized man required some attention. The calendar henceforth would control our movements. We decided to cross the lake with Mr. and Mrs. Keyes and come back to Berkeley by train. It was a trip clear day with a cloudless sky but a north wind had turned the lake into a mist. Our little steamer rolled and pitched. All the trips on the east side of the lake were cancelled and we landed for the landing at the Town. We learned afterwards that it was the worst storm on Lake Tahoe in 25 years.

Mr. Keyes was more mobile than the rest of us during the crossing. He found



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a group of eastern naturalists on board - Louis Agassiz, Merriam, Frank M. Chapman, and <sup>others</sup> ~~Smith~~, U. K. Fisher and C. Hart Merriam. They were guarding their treasures from the waves - which floated a ~~to~~ suit case across the deck.

Near the Town I saw my first Black Terns and Lewis Woodpeckers. In all my later visits to the lake I have never ~~seen Lewis Woodpeckers~~ <sup>seen Lewis</sup> again.

I have given a hasty account of this trip because I wished to show that the conditions have changed tremendously since 1903. It is hard for this generation to picture the situation before automobiles and good roads came into being. Also a person who tries to learn about birds in this present world, finds innumerable helps in the form of magazines, bird books, bird clubs, field trips etc. etc. As I go on with this account the beginning of some of these helps will be touched upon. It was through Mr. Keyes that I first learned of the existence of the Cooper Club. At that time



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it consisted of a group of young men who met occasionally, perhaps at Hayward, perhaps at Stanford. I learned the names of some of them - the first secretary, Lester Burton; Lyman Belding whose Land Birds of California is a collector's item now; of Otto Emerson of Hayward; of Joseph Merrill then at Stanford etc. etc. I believe there were no women, or if they did belong to the club they were seldom present at the meetings.

Thursday, Jan. 30, 1930

Friday, Jan. 31, 1930

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Ingenious ...  
 and ...  
 The ...  
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1895 The Importance of ...



Summary of ...

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4000 ft. - 5000 ft. - 6000 ft.  
 Bird Notes of 1929 - Charles Kester  
 Mountains of Calif. - John Muir  
 Diary - Joseph Le Conte Sr.  
 Place Bird Map " " "  
 Zoological Survey Maps.

Sunday, Feb. 2, 1930

Nothing done today

Wrote Bill Smith

"New York"

Nothing done today

Cards, I did know an old friend of mine

May, 1900

Bradford Torrey

"May in France" New York

1901

(pub 1899)

(H. S. G. 1899)

May 15

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Soap

for the National

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Tuesday, Feb. 4, 1930

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 8 Little Point Ruby ...  
 Glacier Point  
 Out via ...  
 Hammered glasses  
 Summer School  
 Moved to ...



Wednesday, Feb. 5, 1930

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Thursday, Feb. 6, 1930

Redwing      Spring  
 >      Fly      Song

March. Anna. Immature

Immature. Song

>      Song

Immature. Song  
 Pelicanus  
 Warbling  
 Chipping

Goldfinch      March

>      Mating. March. Song  
 Immature. Song

>      May 24

>      Song  
 >      Song  
 >      Song  
 >      Song

Friday, Feb. 7, 1930

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*[Faint, illegible handwriting]*

Saturday, Feb. 8, 1930

1903

From when I was a child  
I have been  
in the  
same  
place  
every  
year  
since  
I was  
born

Total 12

From when I was a child

May 28, from the 1st to the 5th of May  
to the 1st of June on the 1st of June  
(No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12)  
(3rd of June to the 1st of July)

May 29-31

From when I was a child  
I have been  
in the  
same  
place  
every  
year  
since  
I was  
born

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✓

From when I was a child  
I have been  
in the  
same  
place  
every  
year  
since  
I was  
born

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N. [unclear] Phantasmal 2 common  
at Douglas Flat

Mr. [unclear]  
[unclear] from [unclear] 3000 ft.  
up

and [unclear] Mr. Keyes -  
[unclear] Fox Sparrow 2 ft. from  
ground [unclear] small cedar tree



Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1930

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W. P. ... 701541

3 nests of Mt. Quail - under  
dwarfed mangroves

1 under mangroves - 22 eggs.

17 in lower layer.

3 above in center

4 nests of Flycatcher - nest 4 eggs June 20

2. Dead branch of living Claothrus

2 ft. from ground

White-crowned Sparrow - June 13 nest

under vermicular (old corn) 4 eggs

Pileolated Warbler - nest on ground

under vermicular - 4 eggs

Thrasher stayed on nest when the

was left from it - lining white  
cow hair



Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1930

1903

Handwritten notes, possibly "Handwritten notes"

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Beated notes

Handwritten notes, possibly "Handwritten notes"

✓ Handwritten notes, possibly "Handwritten notes"

Handwritten notes, possibly "Handwritten notes"

R. C. King

Bear Hunting

Blonds (1910-11)

June 12 - 1910

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(most 22-1910 - King)

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Mr. Eyer. Blue Lake. Script.

Tree Swallow - breeding -  
Nests in Norway Pine  
Williamson Sparrows nest  
in same trees

Friday, Feb. 14, 1930

1903

*[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

Hermit Valley, 7000 ft

*[Faint handwritten text]* Tanager

*[Faint handwritten text]* Fisher

✓ *[Faint handwritten text]*

✓ *[Faint handwritten text]*

← Blue Lakes

*[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

Faint *[Faint handwritten text]*

Hope *[Faint handwritten text]*

✓ *[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

✓ *[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

*[Faint handwritten text]*

Saturday, Feb. 15, 1930

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1. *Junco hyemalis* - 1 July 2  
 Lincoln - 5. 10. 1929 - nest  
 on meadow with 3 young,  
 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Sunday, Feb. 16, 1930

1903

Yucca ... ..

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Lake ... ..

Lake ... ..  
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Kille Storm. ... ..  
F.M. Chapman, G. F. Fisher, C. and ... ..

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Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1930

1904. *Calif. Thrasher*  
*Western Tanager*

Feb. 22 - *Chama* *Pain* *...*  
*Varied Thrush*

Mar. 22 - Song of *Forest Thrush*

Mar. 25 - Song of *W. Vireo*

→ Mar. 21 - *Arreola* -

(May 21 - building nest *L. B.*)

Apr. 16 - *Townsend* *...*

→ Apr. 21 - *Florence Merriam Bailey*

*Handbook of Northwestern Birds*

*Opera Glasses*

"*...*

→ Trip to *Crocker* - May 27 - June 2

*Modesto* May 28, 29.

*Willow Goldfinch*

*Long-tailed Chat*

*Chinese Camp* to *Big Oak Flat*

*Phainopepla*

*Canyon Wren* *Miner's Thrush*

*Crocker* - 40 species

*Olive-sided Flycatcher* - calls

*Cassin Vireo*



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Wells  
 > my life list - June 24 - 102 species  
 began to list

1905-6. Europe

> Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Chapman.

Mr. C. loaned me Hudson's

British Birds and pointed out  
 to me as follows:

Stormy Petrel

House Martin

Cuckoo

Gull

Stone Chat

> Stratford, May 25, Long Turbott

Robin, Cuckoo

English Sparrow

Blackbird, Thrush

> Ryivord, Holland

> Cormorant - eating eels -

> Stork - nest - Eng. Sparrow

in lower story -

omnipresence of the bird

Göttingen - Throats - Skyark,

Chaffinch

Chiff Chaff, Blackbird

Naples - Nightingale -

Birds in markets

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1908 (contin.)

→ Pacific Grove May 20-25.  
45<sup>+</sup> species

Sanderling

Culver

Pigeon Murrelet

→ First Murrelet on beach

→ Shearwaters 1000's.

Cormorants - 1000's -

Went Bear Valley May 30 - June 20.

42 species

Sp. Wren, Thrush, Wren, Wren

at twilight -

Aug. 20. Kingfisher -

mounded goldfish -

Oct. 20 Golden-crowned Kinglet -

> 1910 - a Cal. Jay on the beach, Camp.

> 1911 - Oct. 1. Moved to 37 Massena Rd

Winter

Feeding! Calif. Jay, Wren, Wren

Thrasher, Br. & Sp. Towhee,

Fox Sparrow, Song Sparrow

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1911.

Nearby - Rufous-cr. Sparrow,  
Varied Thrush  
Crowned Sparrows

Dec. Life List 115

> 1912. 3. Horned Grebe May 7 - near  
Singing Bush. House Finch

Pomona - June 14 - 21 -

19 species

Phainopepla

Sept. 1 - Life List 132

Parkley. Fall migration!

> Sept. 15. Flock of B. dk. Gray Warblers  
in oak trees - with  
W. Vireos. Stayed several  
days.

> Sept. 22. W. Gnatcatcher

Oct. 12. Walk up canyon - 28 species

> Dec. 25. Harris Sparrow  
to

Feb. 11, 1913 " "

(Road work - horses)



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Friday, Feb. 28, 1930

1913

March 1 - Garden Gate Park

Dr. Russell Clark (H. S.)

Pied-billed Grebe

Gulls - Herring, Western

Ducks - Mallard, Reddy

Bluebill, Buffhead

Geese - Canada, snow

White-fronted

Walden

April 21 - M.V.Z. to 29 Mosswood  
31 species

May 15 - Cooper Club - 5 miles

at a quiet time

Mr. Hunter - Conservation

Mr. Finley -

June 21 - Santa Cruz Mts - Skyland

White-Throated Swift

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Sunday, March 2, 1930

1914 -

Jan. 23 - Nuttall Woodpecker

March 7 - 4 Galt Park  
Dr. Grinnell

→ March 15 -  
Barn Owl in living room -

→ March 17 - 2 W. Gnatcatchers  
at top of hill

March 19 - Cooper's Club (joined)

Last records emphasized

April 28 - Juncos near  
Formidula's Rock.

Aug. 15 - Panama Pacific Exposition  
shown.

Sept. 24 - Warbler song - yellow bird

Dec. 14 - Song Sparrow - top of hill

Dec. 17 - Birds of a Berkeley Killdeer  
(Kaiser at Cooper's Club)

Oct. 1 - first visit to Bay Farm Island  
(many water birds I could not identify)

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Tuesday, March 4, 1930

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Wednesday, March 5, 1930

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Thursday, March 6, 1930

1915.

Jan. 5 - Rusty Song Sparrow  
(to Mar. 12)

Jan. 30 Dr G. brought his students to watch birds

Apr. 3. Bay Farm Island  
Dr G and class.

Night Heron -

Forster's Tern

Hudsonian Curlew

Least Sand piper

Gulls -

Clapper Rail - nest

Apr. 16. Bolinas <sup>by stage</sup> 1 44 Sparrow  
Caly. Wren

Merganser etc

Wren

Red V. Sandpiper

Song Sparrow

May 2. Pileolated Warbler - nest 3 eggs

Rain May 2 - May 7 -

May 8, 5 eggs dead in nest



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Saturday, March 8, 1930.

1915

Rain in morning - clear in afternoon

May 10 - Rainy all day

Tomorrow and Hermit in the morning

May 11 - Flock of crows -

Tom. Yellow, Red, Hermit

May 12 - Left that Tom in the

May 13-19. A. S. H. Tom Tomorrow

June 15 - ... ...

Weekend - ...

July 22 - ... ...

David ...

Home ...

August 10 - 4 ... ...

Sept 25 - Bay ...

John ...

Oct 21 - White ...

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Oct 27 + ...

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Monday, March 10, 1930

Dear James W. Wilson Esq.  
 & John W. Wilson  
 Mr. Delaney and Mr. Delaney  
 Dear Mr. Wilson Ante slight  
Mt. Wilson  
1916

1916 - Jan. 29 - San Francisco  
 Jan. 29. 1916 - San Francisco

→ Feb. 29 - San Francisco  
Harvard  
12 San Francisco  
1916

→ Feb. 29. San Francisco  
State in the policy of the State  
May 29 San Francisco young  
from San Francisco

→ San Francisco  
Harold Wilson  
San Francisco (San Francisco  
42 San Francisco  
San Francisco San Francisco

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1916 (1000)

→ March 12, 1930 (1000)

March 12, 1930

March 12, 1930

March 20, 1930 (1000)

March 20, 1930 (1000)

March 20, 1930 (1000)

→ June 18, 1930 (1000)

→ July 8 - 27 - 1930 (1000)  
 (after 5000)  
 Spotted  
 Evening  
 on Raccoon Creek  
 2000 (1000)  
 2000 (1000)  
 2000 (1000)

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Friday, March 14, 1930

1916 - Sept. 22 -

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Sept. 22 - Rice

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Oct. 5 - [unclear] Lutescent

Audubon's [unclear]

Black-throated Gray

Hermit

→

Oct. 12 - [unclear]

1917 - Jan. 2 -

Feb. 10 - [unclear]

Mar. 10 - [unclear]

Mar. 17 - [unclear]

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May 1 - [unclear] boundary  
 Nest of [unclear] decid. oak  
 " " [unclear] (oak bank)  
 (2 young birds)

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May 24 - June 21 - [unclear]

Chapman - [unclear]

Mar. 1 - [unclear]

Co. [unclear]



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1917

January 1 - 1917

→ Found one [illegible] [illegible]  
English [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible]

→ May 31 - Southern [illegible]  
to [illegible] [illegible] -  
[illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible]

→ June 8 - [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] that [illegible] [illegible]

→ [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

→ June 14 - [illegible] 113 - [illegible]

→ June 15 - [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
Anthony - [illegible] 35 [illegible]  
Nest - W. Kingbird [illegible]  
[illegible] - [illegible]

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Tuesday, March 18, 1930

1917

June 10. Nigger Slough -  
New -

July 10 -

Spent some Black-birds  
in the trees

(Two automobiles in family)  
July 20. Life List - 200 birds  
July 20. Summit

→ Forest -  
Aug. 3. Spring of 1917 -  
1917

New - Lincoln Sparrow

→ nest Pine Siskin  
watched July 23 - 26 -

> Flocks: Calaveras Warblers.  
→ Crossbills

Red-tailed -

→ Sept. 16. Migrating Warblers -  
Townsend, Black-throated Gray  
with Vireos -

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1917

> Sept. 21, 23, 24-28,

*Calif Thrasher - nest empty*

1 - Long-Tailed Duck

2 - Red Head Heron

2. 1941

Sept. 28 - our 14 fashers singing at noon  
time - saw 1 hen & 1  
p. 1000.

→ Nov. 1, 1917 - U.S. - [unclear] [unclear]

Nov. 11 - Fast days near  
fast -

(and also found)

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1918

Very truly - Yours K. G. Anderson

Prof. Dr. L. Hahn

→ Maria Emily ...  
to 4th year.  
Mar. 14.

Paired tubes in subcapitulum

(The following are)

Mar. 30 - Bay - some Scaevola

Black or Night Heron - 1 nest

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1918 (contin.)

> Mar. 31 - Daylight saving -

> April 1 - Bush-caked Thrush

Hemlock Thrush (all birds)  
(Took a walk with Mrs. Kellie  
and Mrs. Kelley in Forest Park -  
26 Species - Performed St. Andrew's  
- all day

April 21 - several Bush-c. Thrushes  
(along Allen H - towerling)

Apr. 22 - Migrating Warblers

Apr. 24 - Blue Jay attacking nest  
of bush-c. 2nd time

> May 1 - Lafayette - by auto  
Daylight Saving -

Same birds as  
Box Elder

Long-tailed Chat  
Lafayette Thrushes  
Yellow Warblers  
Red-bellied Hummers etc.

Rough-winged Swallows -

May 2 - Red-bellied Hummers



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Monday, March 24, 1930

1918

(May 17. - Vagos, on road to  
get sticks into new nesting  
box - Had to make  
exchange of it

May 18, 19 - Nest completed.)

May 21 - Rock Springs  
I heard the song of several  
Audubons. I saw them but  
could not see the birds.  
Nest passed by someone  
in Audubon's year later.

June 2 - Lafayette - with  
Aid. Assoc. 42 ch.

June 16 - Berkeley Hills with  
Mr. and Mrs. Kibbe  
Bell Sparrows -  
building nest in  
oak and uttering  
song. — — —

July 9 - Creeper in Strand Canyon  
above Piedmont Ave.

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Wednesday, March 26, 1930

1918

→ Aug. 20. Clarence and Outdoor School  
(Miss Francis Carter)

Sept. 1. Counted 4-2 Inland Lake  
pool.

Sept. 19. { Shrews, mice, and hatch  
Crickets  
near Greek Theater.

(Sept. 12, 13, 14 - Heavy rain)

Sept. 21 - Heavy rain, strong  
winds, and rain.

Sept. 22 - Sun. Harvest of the  
oil, 18. Town IV, 18. and W.  
Rural & Thru  
Fox Sparrow  
in garden

→ Oct. 29 - Ruby Song Sparrow in  
5th year

→ Nov. 11 - Anniversary -  
Victory Ruby-cr. Kinglet eating  
apple in victory garden  
(strong beans)

Thursday, March 27, 1930

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Friday, March 28, 1930

1918

on Dec. 28, 29, - ... ..  
Jan 7, 30. ... ..

1919

→ Jan 27 - ... ..  
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1918  
Feb 11 - ... ..  
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→ Feb. 16 - ... ..  
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→ May 24 - ... ..  
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→ ... ..  
2 ... ..  
1 ... ..

Saturday, March 29, 1930

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# Sunday, March 30, 1930

June 17 - 17 - ... ..

... ..

first time June 17 - July 11 - ... ..

Aug 12 - ... ..

Sept 2 - ... ..

(Sept 2 - ... ..)

A ... ..

Sept 10 - ... ..

Oct 12 - ... ..

Nov 2 - ... ..

Nov 2 - ... ..

Nov 2 - ... ..

Dec 5 - ... ..

Nov - ... ..

11 Whistling Swan -

1 King by ... - Nov 2

1 Wilson Snipe

Sora Duck - 15 minutes, feeding



Monday, March 31, 1930

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Tuesday, April 1, 1930

Unit  
1920.

Southern California

(Dec. 31, 1929 - Jan. 1, 1930)

Jan. 1. The white Phoebe 3 seen

last night. Several seen

today. 1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

Common. 1 *H. laticauda* in

the morning. 1 seen in the afternoon.

Kingbird, Audubon's Thrush, Robin,

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

2 *H. laticauda* in the morning.

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

→ Jan. 9. 1 seen in the morning.

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

1 seen in the morning, 1 seen in the afternoon.

→ Jan. 10. Banded a *Polioptila* Kinglet caught in the nest.

Wednesday, April 2, 1930

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Thursday, April 3, 1930

1920

- Jan. 15 A small flock of Crossbills  
in second tree on garden  
way - both were <sup>very</sup> tame  
They were <sup>usually</sup> pecking the  
shale and eating the <sup>small</sup> seeds.
- Jan. 16 A few Crossbills in the  
flocks of <sup>small</sup> seeds eating  
oak trees - <sup>very</sup> tame about 3:00  
P.M. Bird in <sup>the</sup> garden.
- Feb. 12. Flock of Crossbills in  
Herald Hall.
- Feb. 13 - Allen Hummingbirds <sup>very</sup> tame  
with one <sup>very</sup> tame <sup>in</sup> garden <sup>near</sup> house  
house <sup>in</sup> garden <sup>near</sup> house  
slightly <sup>very</sup> tame <sup>in</sup> garden <sup>near</sup> house.
- Mar. 2 - Thrasher sang at 3:30 A.M.  
in room.
- Mar. 3 2 Creepers seen, one in <sup>the</sup> garden,  
one on <sup>the</sup> garden <sup>near</sup> house.
- Mar. 5, Creeper seen in <sup>the</sup> garden.
- Mar. 15 Allen Hummingbirds <sup>very</sup> tame.
- Mar. 23. Banded a brown <sup>very</sup> tame  
in <sup>the</sup> garden, <sup>very</sup> tame on <sup>the</sup> garden  
as I stood at the <sup>very</sup> tame.
- Mar. 26 Allen Hummingbirds <sup>very</sup> tame.

Friday, April 4, 1930

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Saturday, April 5, 1930

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Sunday, April 6, 1930

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Qunt

Monday, April 7, 1930

1920

Mar. 27 - 31 - Boulder Creek.

Mar. 27 | A pair of Water Thrushes.  
 a.m. - dawn, bobbing furiously. Flew  
 upstream together.

Late p.m. Thrushes gathering moss for nest.  
 Mar. 29 - Thrush building nest on  
 a big boulder in stream - in  
 a water washed groove.

Heard song - whin-like  
 with some clear whistled notes  
 added. Saw one bird singing  
 in stream.

p.m. Bird came to nest with moss  
 at 2 p.m., and 2:10 p.m.

At 3 p.m. I heard the song  
 and saw the female at the nest.  
 She used her bill to tuck in the  
 moss; then stood on the  
 entrance, bobbing often.  
 Sometimes she flattened herself  
 against her wings and seemed  
 to moult and stretch the wing. She  
 then sang and sang. Then she  
 came down to the water and  
 down, she seemed to work on the nest.



Tuesday, April 8, 1930

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# Wednesday, April 9, 1930

1920

March 30. I watched the Water ...  
 building from 10:45 - 11:55.  
 She came 8 times with ...  
 most of which she placed ...  
 at the ... of the long ...  
 she put ... at the  
 center ...  
 ...

March 31. Gorge ...  
 nest. ...  
 She almost comes with ...  
 material to the nest. The foot of  
 a big boulder opposite the nest,  
 wants a moment, then flies ...  
 to the nest. I saw her ...  
 The ...  
 both male and female. The male  
 uses it as a ...  
 The male does not seem to help  
 build the nest but stands ...  
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Thursday, April 10, 1930

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# Friday, April 11, 1930

1920 Berkeley

Apr. 17, 18. Greatcatcher in garden

Apr. 20. Golden Gate Park. 39 species

Costs with 3 eggs

Crossbill

Rufous Hummer

Myrtle Warbler

Violet-green Swallow

→ April 28. 15-20 Mexican Grosbeaks  
in Claremont region  
(Vicente Road)

May 5. " + Long-tailed Chat

→ May 8. I saw a White Jay carry  
away two eggs from a nest  
of the Brown Towhee. One  
of the pair of " banded.  
The other came whenever  
disturbed by a Jay. It  
squealed back when the Jay  
came for an egg.

May 14 - June 18. Boulder Creek  
No owls near nest built  
in March.

Saturday, April 12, 1930

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Cunt

Sunday, April 13, 1930

1920 Boulder creek

A mysterious bird sang before  
dawn every morning - half  
an hour before other birds.

Allen Hummingbird's nest  
within 15 feet of my front door.  
First egg laid May 16;  
second May 18.

Gathered cotton from ends  
of hammock rope.

June 5 - eggs hatched - 19 days.

June 10 - accident to nest

Nest in Johnson's garden;  
second egg laid June 8.

Exchange made at 3:45 p.m.

June 11 - 18 - adult birds fed  
by foster mother.

Berkeley

Sept. 5. Thrasher giving triplet  
notes of Ruby-crowned Kinglet.

Sept. 10. About 30 Calif. jays flew  
out from La Honda place, dis-  
appeared toward Wildcat valley.

Monday, April 14, 1930

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# Tuesday, April 15, 1930

1920

→ Sept. 14 - First Mannheim trip (Killy)  
28 species

White Siskin  
N. Chalcid (2nd year)  
White Siskin  
Aves. Chalcid (2nd year)  
3rd year  
Yellow fly  
Semi-palmated Lark

→ Sept. 22 - Five Calif. Woodpeckers (Gordon Rd.)

→ Sept. 22 " " (Mannheim)

→ Oct. 3 3 Green Woodpeckers  
1 Calif. " high hills

→ Nov. 17 Banding for Mannheim area  
(Banding on 10/27/1929)

Nov. 29 Tolmie Park  
Mannheim County Club



Wednesday, April 16, 1930

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Thursday, April 17, 1930

1921. → Feb. 7 - Trail of Angelus Auto -  
first time.

March 9. Trip Sand Springs  
- kind of boring. Sang  
at intervals as I went up  
hill ahead of me.

March 10 Again - same.

→ March 16 - Baumberg (Kelly)  
40 species, 2000 ind.

Green-winged Teal 300-400  
Cinnamon Teal 4  
Avocets 70.

→ April 12 - Baumberg  
Shills 12.

→ April 17 - Creeper near  
College Ave. bridge

and 100 ft. from creek

→ May 14 - June 13. Boulder Creek.  
Sand Hills - Dead Yellow Pine  
Several pairs Martins,  
1 pair Pigeons, nuthatches (top)  
1 or 2 Bluebirds (bottom)

Friday, April 18, 1930

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Saturday, April 19, 1930

1921 Life ...  
July 2 - Fire in Hamilton Canyon

Belvedere July 9, 1921  
Peculiar song of Yellowthroat  
Nov. 24. Thrasher song  
Thrasher. ...  
... from ... later

> Dec. 14 - 2 White-throated Sparrows  
Came to feed ... Only one  
after Dec. 22.

1922

> Jan. 21 - Mr. Kibbe loaned me a  
Government ... traps  
... to ...  
... Sparrows.

Feb. 15. Thrasher came to ... a  
day ... stuck on ...

(Feb. 18. Thrasher songing)

> March 22. Banded White-throated Sparrows

Apr. 2. Fort Baker - ...  
Very dense ... Not like  
S.F. or Belvedere birds

Sunday, April 20, 1930

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Tuesday, April 22, 1930

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Thursday, April 24, 1930

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# Friday, April 25, 1930

## 1923

April 25 - Small flock, Beach-Throated Gray

Warblers in full song.

May 6. Creeper on farm.

May 20. Los Hornos. First of Plover.

June 18. Saw first bird.

Boulder Creek June 1 - July 31.

July 23 Pigeon Guillemot - Santa Cruz.  
Trandering 10000.

Birding. Sept. 19. Saw 1st of Plover.

Sept. 19 North Beach. Many first!

Oct. 18. Ring-billed Gull on  
Spruce at summer.

Coat (brown) on east beach,  
matted by grass.

1924. { Apr. 26 - Plover on beach  
Apr. 27 - Horned Thrush - fresh

May 13 - European to p.

Saturday, April 26, 1930

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Sunday, April 27, 1930

Return trip, June 21 - In morning on Eastern  
Meadow Lark Song at one stop  
→ 1925 In western Kansas - 2 Western Meadowlark.

June 22 - Santa Fe Train.

→ In Eastern New Mexico I began  
noticing Night Hawks and near  
Fort Sumner and yes they were  
perched on the fence posts near the  
railroad (there was nothing growing  
on which they could perch) and I counted  
those I could see on one side of tracks.

9:45 - 10 a.m. 36 on posts, 5 flying

10:05 - 10:20 58 " " , 2 " , 3 on wire

10:20 - 10:25 13 " " ,

Total 107 - definite 5300 ft.

I stopped off in San Angelo and

→ July 9 - by Automobile - Pomona through  
Pine Canyon to Fannin, Whittier,  
East Los Angeles. 24 years since I  
had lived in Whittier.

Phainopepla, Blue Grosbeak,

→ July 11 - Camps Reddy - Very hot.

Band-tailed Pigeons, Ash-throated  
Flycatcher, Olive-sided Flycatcher,  
W. & Cassin Vireo, Black-throated

Gray Warbler, Titmouse & Chickadee

etc

Monday, April 28, 1930

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Tuesday, April 29, 1930

1925. By train

July 12 - Los Angeles to Watsonville via Santa Barbara after the earthquake

July 12 - July 31 - Boulder Creek (Quail)  
Aug. 1. Berkeley - Trees infected with <sup>Cherry</sup> ~~leaf~~ -  
worms although there had been  
sprayed in the spring.  
All the familiar birds.  
Large flock of quail seen  
once a day for several

1926. Jan. 1 - Boulder Creek  
Water Buzzard singing

→ Jan. 22. Mr. R. H. Hoffmann  
came to watch the birds  
Read me parts of the manuscript  
of a book on western birds.

→ Jan. 31. Birds eager for food  
27 Quail, 2 Thrashers, 2 Titmice  
3 Golden-cr. Sparrows, 3 Fox Sparrows,  
5 Spotted Towhees, 3 Brown Towhees,  
2 Wren-tits, 2 Song Sparrows.

Hermit Thrush for water only

Wednesday, April 30, 1930

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Thursday, May 1, 1930

1926

Feb. 25. A Titmouse is busy, building a nest in the box on the ground of our house. It pulled in a strip of bark about 15 in long - Six times it pulled in a part

March 11 - Visited Aquarium and Academy of Sciences -  
Hypnotism?

March 14 - A Song Sparrow and a Titmouse <sup>both</sup> perched on the same branch of spiraea, facing each other and about two feet apart. The Song Sparrow was absolutely motionless, with his eyes fixed on the Titmouse.

The Titmouse was going through a rhythmic motion, moving his head and neck from side to side as far as possible. The rest of the body was tense. This continued two or three minutes. Finally the Song Sparrow relaxed. Titmouse continued 6-8 times



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Saturday, May 3, 1930

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Sunday, May 4, 1930

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Monday, May 5, 1930

1926 -

April 16. Bay Richmond Ferry, San  
Suenito, Greenbrae, Ross -  
41 Blue Heron nests. 44 species

Apr. 18 - Mr and Mrs. Ribbe walked  
from Ross to San Suenito and  
at Greenbrae found the White-  
tailed Kite -

(May 7 - San Pablo Peninsula - Grinda,  
Lafayette - 41 species

May 9. At 8 a.m. Mrs. Persons  
reported an Allen Hummingbird  
with a broken wing.

I went over and picked up  
the bird which could not rise  
from the floor where she had  
fallen. I put her on the nest  
which contained one young bird  
and went home to get my  
spectacles and a magnifying glass.  
When I returned she had fallen  
on the ground after attempting to  
fly. On examination I found  
her left foot and left wing were

Tuesday, May 6, 1930

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Wednesday, May 7, 1930

1926

entangled in a mass of cobwebs  
which apparently had come in  
contact with a slug.

The lay gonads in my hand  
while we cut away the webbing  
and washed the feathers with  
alcohol. After half an hour  
rest on the nest she was  
going about as usual and  
minus several tail feathers.

June 3 - First summer record of Kestrel  
at Bonanza Creek.

June 5 - Robins at lower end of  
Muir Woods.

Aug. 7 - Lakeside (Lake Tahoe)  
Linnets seen.

→ Aug. 20 - Thrasher imitates song of the Tanager.

→ Nov. 5 - An Eastern Fox Sparrow

Thursday, May 8, 1930

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Friday, May 9, 1930

1927.

Mar. 20. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Apr. 12. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Apr. 20. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Apr. 23. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

May 12. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible]

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[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Camp Curry.

750 people over weekend.

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

May 15. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
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May 16. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]  
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See [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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Saturday, May 10, 1930

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Sunday, May 11, 1930

1927

Black-bird

Los Baños clay, Turin, Fulvous Tree Toads

Herons, Egrets, Coots, Avocets, etc.

Killdeer, Mourning Doves, Numerous Crows, Phoebe,

W. Kingbird, Redwings, Crows, Swallows (Bank or Highway)

Pachecotax or Foothills

Snail, Mt. St. Elizabeth's, Turkey, etc.

Redtail, Calif. Woodpecker, Flicker

W. Kingbird, Ash, etc.

Horned Lark, Rufous or Black-crowned, etc.

Quailcatcher,

Yosemite

Spotted Sandpiper

Willow Ptarmigan

Calif. "

Trillium, etc.

Iron Fence

Blue-fronted Jay

Brewster's Goldfinch

Blue Grosbeak

Chipping Sparrow

Golden-crowned Kinglet

Lesser Kinglet

W. Tanager

Horned Lark

Towhee

Monday, May 12, 1930

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Tuesday, May 13, 1930

192<sup>nd</sup> Count

Yosemite (Continued)

Canyon Wren (singing near of trail)

Sierra Creeper

Mt. Chickadee

W. Wren (singing at 1000 ft. approx.)

Scrub Cherry

Anna Hummer

Robin

Ash-Thr. Flycatcher (near S. Trail)

Green-sided " (singing at 1000 ft.)

17 ft. from top of canyon

Wood Pewee (singing at 1000 ft.)

W. Flycatcher

Calif. Purple Finch

Alt. Goldfinch

Indigo Bunting

Chipping Sparrow (Yosemite)

Bl. Robin

at Camp 5 (singing)

Sp. Towhee

Br. " "

Logan's Bunting

W. Tanager

Cliff. Swainson's

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Thursday, May 15, 1930

1927

S. Gray's (contin.)

Cassins

Beach-birds (many) (Yucca) (also)

Pale-bellied

Yellow-bellied

Yellow

Bush-tit

Russet-backed

General (many) here

Brown (many)

English Sparrows - to a tower

Small - (many)

St. George's

Warbling

Yellow-bellied

Tree

Rocky (many) (many) (many)

Many (many) (many) (many)

Birds -

May 23

Titmouse (many) (many)

Blue Jay (many) (many)

Friday, May 16, 1930

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# Saturday, May 17, 1930

1927

May 24. To Fort Charles and Mineral.  
To Petaluma and (from Country)  
To Fort Charles and Mineral.

5:30 - 5:45 a.m. 4:15 p.m.

Traveled with ...

Quartz ...

Seal, Water ...

Rock ...

Sp ...

W ...

Chad

Road ...

May 25 To Willits

10-15 Am ... (first time in ...)

... ..

... ..

Forster ...

... ..

To ... ..

May 26 To ... ..

May 27. Rain 5:30 a.m. to Mineral (Lunar)

p.m. 22 sp.

Horned Lark, Horned Lark

... .. Fox ... White-headed Wdf.

Pygmy Nuthatch etc



Sunday, May 18, 1930

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# Monday, May 19, 1930

1927

May 28. D. J. and I went to the Long Trail  
8 5-11 a.m.

1st lot 26 2 1000

2nd " 17 sp. 1000

3rd " 12 sp. 1000

Total 34 sp.

> Spotted Owl

145 ind.

Hermit 1000

Unit

July 2

Dec 29. F. J. and I went to the Long Trail

Dec 30. A. J. and I went to the Long Trail

1928

Feb. 7. A. J. and I went to the Long Trail  
at the road on the feeding table,  
struck the window and fell to  
the porch floor. It caught its  
head under the railing.

A cat was just coming to the door  
when I was a mouse stuck.

Specimens in Museum.

Tuesday, May 20, 1930

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# Wednesday, May 21, 1930

1928. (Thatcher, near base Feb 21, Mar 12, July 23, Aug 19.)

March 19 - Drunkard's Ridge - 30 places  
Crossed bridge and drove up to  
Redwood City where Eggs were  
reported. Found 6 in marsh.  
(First time - saw them in bay area)

> March 25 Sample day  
Torrential rain, cold, morning  
in Eucalyptus trees in canyon.  
Young warblers abundant eating new  
leaves on the oak trees.

Insects: 100+ Pine Siskins, many  
Townsend Warblers singing, also for Indigo  
Bun Warblers; a Junco singing, also  
it's own (nest in box). Eggs in tree,  
Song Sparrows. A Warbling Vireo sang  
for an hour or more. Western Flycatcher,  
Russet-backed Thrush, Brown and Spotted  
Towhees. Fox Sparrows and Field

March 27 - Cold day, hard and rain. A large flock  
of White-throated Sparrows, eating  
worms. Clearing cold at night.

Thursday, May 22, 1930

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Friday, May 23, 1930

1928.

March 29. An Allen Hummingbird has  
built her nest in the oak tree  
near the long house window.  
Eating here.

Apr. 2. Showers. For eight large  
flocks of Audubon warblers, Townsend  
Warblers, Warbling vireos, song sparrows

Apr. 5. Allen Hummers banded every 20 min  
Lutescent warblers nest bro. eggs.  
(young flew May 1)

Apr. 6 Strawberry Canyon. 33 species

Apr. 7. Mayor and Mrs. Lane and family.

Apr. 8. East. Sunday. Flocks as on Mar. 29  
+ Ash-Throated Flycatcher

Apr. 18. Phoenix Lake, Warm. 42 species  
Black-Throated Gray Warblers, several

Apr. 24 After Strawberry Canyon -  
found California Hummingbird.  
One male perched in willow & put  
from me. Pendulum - long down-  
out gee-ee-ee at bottom of tree.

Saturday, May 24, 1930

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Sunday, May 25, 1930

1928.

May 4 - Trip to Townsend with many stops.  
18 water birds. Total 71 species

May 6 - 2 Salix Jay caught on the roof  
of the tin house box and put his  
head in the hole where the parents  
sailed - (Young flew May 8)

→ May 11 Arroyo Muchos rios - 48 species

Characteristic - Kingbirds,

Phainopepla

Tricolored, Gnatcatcher,

Also Cedar Waxwing - only winter vis.

→ May 17-21 Clear Lake - 54 species  
at Clear Lake Park:

Birds very abn - Chat, Black thr. Gray  
etc.

at north end of lake in stream that  
flows in above Lakeport -

30 41, Blue Herons

50 Black-crowned Herons

2 Anthony Green Herons



Monday, May 26, 1930

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Tuesday, May 27, 1930

1928

June 3 - Lawrence Goldfinches in  
Cypress trees between stadium  
and dairy - 5 lined up on  
wire fence and watched me.  
Also: House Wren - nest in crack -  
noisy young.

Allen Hummer, buzzed off nest  
on lowest branch of tree.  
Snail - 2 per. flew up from grass.  
Calif Jay - feeding noisy young in  
Eucalyptus tree at house.

Saw also: Wilson's Woodpecker,  
Hutton Vireo, Flicker, Robin,  
Junco, Purple Finch, Lazuli Humming  
Brown Towhee.

More Lawrence Goldfinches in  
Cypress trees at Swimming Pool.

Nesting Season

→ June 6 - I estimated the number of birds  
feeding on oak worms etc. in garden.

Titmouse - 8, 2 ad. + 1 brood

Bush tite 24, 6 " + 3 "

House Wren 8, 2 " + 1 "

Int. and Warbler 18, 6 " + 3 "

Song Sparrow, Towhee etc. 24

No spray necessary

Total 87

Wednesday, May 28, 1930

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Thursday, May 29, 1930

1928. *Cont.*

June 15. W Flycatcher: flew at 8:30 a.m.

July 17 - " " - 2nd bird -

July 24 - " " - nearly ready to fly -

Midsummer - both 1927, 1928 - same

Calif. jay came frequently - fed from one's hands, perched on my knee or head - Usually driven off by other jays.

July 24 - Aug 4 - Gold Lake -

Via Downsville, Sierra City

Sierra City - July 26 -

A small water fall above the road, the water of which passes through a conduit under the road and then into the lake. A water Angel crosses the road several times, going from the river to the water fall.

Gold Lake. Birds very ab. 47 sp.

Esp. - Spotted Sandpiper, Night Hawk,  
California Nighthawk, Sierra Creeper,  
Lincoln Sparrow.

Friday, May 30, 1930

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Saturday, May 31, 1930

1928.

Aug. 6, Berkeley. Family of Hutton Vireos  
in garden.

> Aug. 8. Botanical Gardens in Libanec fields  
Hundred of humming birds - feeding  
Anna H. - most ab.  
Allen H. - many.  
Other species in 7.

> Aug. 31. Thrasher moulting. (Optimistic Sept 21)

> Sept. 12. Start the day for. (Sept 17 see)  
Humming birds still very ab.

> Sept. 25. See Sp. 1. Gil. (first time)  
24 species.

> Nov. 4 - Annual flight of Termites -  
watched following birds picking them  
up in road:  
Hermit Thrushes, Vigors Wren, Wren-  
tits, Brown and Spotted Towhees,  
Golden-cr. Sparrows, Fox Sparrows,  
Song Sparrows. One Flicker swooped  
down to get to night but saw me  
and flew by -

Sunday, June 1, 1930

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Monday, June 2, 1930

1928.

Dec. 4, 5. 2 observations in  
Sunny Patch

Dec. 23 - Jan. 2. - Los Angeles, Imperial,  
La Bolla, Imperial Valley,  
Pomona, Los Angeles, San Diego,  
Berkeley. 70 observations

High spots:

La Bolla - early morning -

Brandt Cormorants on ships

Desert - Horned Larks, Say Phoebe,

Lawrence Sparrows, Cassin Kingbird, etc.

Palm Canyon - <sup>1000</sup> Bluebirds in palm

Santa Barbara - shore -

{ 300 Sanderling asleep + 100 feeding  
} 100 Snowy Plover "

Sanderling on one foot, bill tucked

under wing. When a rail flew, a  
number hopped off on one foot  
and went to sleep again.

Plover - each bird squatted in a hummock  
or behind a bunch of kelp, and stood  
with head drawn in but bill pointed  
forward. When disturbed they ran away.



Tuesday, June 3, 1930

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Thursday, June 5, 1930

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Friday, June 6, 1930

1929

→ May 30. A family of Bush-tits flew from the oak trees next to the house on the north to the waves. There they hung by their feet and reached up under the edge of the eave-shingles and pulled out something which they ate. It was amusing to see five or six suspended in a row.

→ June 2. A Wren-tail sparrow made noise in the morning repeating the final bill of its song without any single notes.

→ June 11 - Drove to Calaveras Big Trees via <sup>Washburn</sup> Sonoma, Marysville. A bridge has been built at River View Ferry.

→ June 11 - Walked through the grove.  
26 species -

W. W. Wren, Hermit Thrush, Blue-backed Thrush, Lincoln Sparrow, Fox Sparrow, Hermit Warbler, Calaveras Woodpecker.

Saturday, June 7, 1930

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Sunday, June 8, 1930

1929

→ Aug. 12. 1929 — Can. ...  
Flat road - Very few birds seen.  
Much trouble with cars - hot

Recovery

Sept 3. ...

→ Sept. 14 Mt. ...

When I looked through my binoculars  
saw at a sharp angled Hawk  
I discovered several White-throated  
Swifts flying above the Hawk

Hawks:

Turkey Vulture

Sh. Sh. Hawk

Cooper's Hawk

Red-tail

Prairie Falcon

Tanager, Gnatcatcher etc.

→ Sept. 26. ...

→ Oct. 4. First attempt to distinguish song  
of Purple-backed Sparrow

Monday, June 9, 1930

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Tuesday, June 10, 1930

1929.

Oct. 13 - Brewer Blackbirds fly over  
every morning all day.

→ In the afternoon we drove over the  
new Bay Shore highway to Saratoga.

Oct. 17 Started to San Francisco

18 - Crossed Great Salt Lake  
Many Eared Grebes, 20-30. Also  
4 Snows. Some geese on  
the train. Crows along the  
fences bounding the track.

Oct. 21. Takoma Park -

Hundreds of White-throated Sparrows  
2 Cardinals

✓ Oct. 23. L. P. H. in Thicket -

24 - Zoological Park -

Anhinga - pond

25 - Field trip to Lake Mary

Nov. Gannets - off shore.

Commonest shore bird - Sanderling

New, Semipalmated Sandpiper

White-rumped "

Swamp Sparrow

(over)



Wednesday, June 11, 1930

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Thursday, June 12, 1930

1929

Oct 25 Cape May (contin.)

Myrtle Warbler (most at land end)  
 Near Cape May, 1929

Palm Warbler - mag. all, fresh  
 - also several

Chimney Swift

42 Specimens, 8 more to see

Total for the whole group - 90 sp.

> Nov. 1. Supper - 1000 - 1000 + 1000

Nov. 4. Took train - about four miles

2 White Crowned Sparrows

1000 White-throated " in each flock

1000 Tree Sparrows " " "

Return to Cape May

Nov. 11 - 1000 - 1000 Sparrows in 1 flock

Continued -

> Nov. 20 (Thanksgiving Day, Fog & Low)

Short-eared Owl on San Mateo Pt.

See my record book

1930

Mar 24 Hutton's Vulture building nest  
 near window.

Friday, June 13, 1930

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# Saturday, June 14, 1930

## 1930

- > Apr. 11. Thrasher mentioned lower side of box.
- Apr. 16. Vagabond Wren nesting in lower box.
- > Apr. 17. Triangle. Small House Wren,  
1 female House Wren, 1 female Vagabond  
Wren -  
Male H. Wren coaxing female H. W.  
Scolding " V. Wren.
- > Apr. 18. House Wren singing at dawn.
- > Apr. 21. " " gone -
- > Apr. 23. Song Sparrow sang excitedly  
in darkest place of hole 23 ft. from  
of the sun.
- > Apr. 24. First trip to lower box - 7 birds  
matched a similar one  
building its nest. Used sticks  
and very fine roots.
- > Apr. 30. a pair of House Wrens in  
box again. The male trumpeted  
against the window fighting a  
third bird (female 1931?)  
(Young left nest before June 6)  
Vagabond Wren left lower box May 14.  
Male House Wren disappeared  
about May 24. Female raised young -

Sunday, June 15, 1930

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Monday, June 16, 1930

1930

→ June 5. Dorman Lake - Tanager spring  
 Ashes and mosses just coming  
 into leaf - Wooded bird  
 chorus in marshy area at head  
 of lake in early morning (5 a.m.).

Trail Fly, Robin, Tanager, B. & C. Wren, etc. July  
 21 Kinglet, Warbler - yellow and  
 300 Warbler, B. & C. Wren, White-  
 crowned Sparrow, etc. full  
 above! And. Wren, etc. Siskins,  
 Calamagrostis, etc. etc. etc. etc.  
 27 species with 1000 birds.

Berkley.

June 27 Family of Sharrow Hawks  
 near house - Young birds  
 calling.

Nov 14 Bought cottage at Boulder -

→ Dec 21 - 500+ Bush-tails  
 2130 - 7 p.m. Madrone berries

Tuesday, June 17, 1930

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# Wednesday, June 18, 1930

1931.

→ San - 300  
Treated - 100

Boulder Creek  
May 17

Aug 30 - My new book - "Dancing" is  
out  
(2nd ed. in the process)

[illegible]



Thursday, June 19, 1930

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# Friday, June 20, 1930

1931 2014 - Bureau, R. ...

1130 am Fox ...

→ We the ...  
fighting, ...  
it seemed to ...  
down like a bullet

We soon discovered it was  
caught in a bunch of ...  
By shaking the ...  
we freed the bird but  
spent the ...  
in ...

→ Dec. 20 - ...  
10000 ...  
valley and ...  
...  
plowed ... We saw none

along

Saturday, June 21, 1930

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Sunday, June 22, 1930

1932. Cont -

Jan. 12. Boston -

(Rain Dec. 23-28, 24 inches)

Maderone leaves gone

Longer leaves

Jan. 2. Santa Cruz (Catalina) -

Cold. 30. Evening snow

feeding - Foxglove trees -

Audubon -

near the beach -

feeding - several found in  
the Kaff -

Cont

Jan. 9. Boston - 2 places

packed -

two birds

Jan. 11. Snow on the coast

Jan. 12. Snow on the coast

Jan. 14

Jan. 24. Slender leaves

" 24

" 27

Feb. 11. Snow on the coast

1 1/2 in on powder

Monday, June 23, 1930

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Wednesday, June 25, 1930

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Thursday, June 26, 1930

1932 -

→ Feb, 26. 12 Evening Grosbeaks on the  
Claremont Court region feeding  
on maple seeds on the tree.

Mar. 1 " (on the ground)

→ Apr. 10. A Black-crowned Night Heron  
perched on the chimney of  
the house on the corner.  
Squawking.

Apr. 21. Upper canyon - 12-15 Starlings  
marching, keeping close together  
in a line and all singing.

→ Apr. 27. San Mateo house. A pair  
of Snowy Plovers with their  
nestling young which are  
very noisy. In the garden.

Angels Inuit 20

Oct. 4. Song Sparrow sings, which is very  
thrasher-like - alternating with  
Squawking

→ Oct. 18. Audubon Warblers singing near  
borders of Myrica (California Bay)



Friday, June 27, 1930

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Saturday, June 28, 1930

1932

Dec. 11 Ring-billed Gull 18°.

1933

Feb. 5. Boulder Creek

A water crow was singing.  
So long as I was out of sight I  
laughed myself. When I approached  
it stopped.

March 3. Gull sang for ten minutes  
1:45-4:40 p.

March 5. Berkeley. Soon after I put out  
seeds on a table and took a seed  
and ate it. Then called another  
bird and over. The other seed,  
which was at hand and disappeared.  
I could hear him singing below  
the house. Within two minutes  
he was back with his mate. He  
was still. The other bird turned  
at the seed.

Sunday, June 29, 1930

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Monday, June 30, 1930

1933

- Apr. 25. ... ..  
 ... ..  
 ... ..  
 ... ..
- May 1. Cloudy with ...  
 Noon. Several Tanager ...  
 ... ..  
 Several Grosbeak and one Ash  
 throated Flycatcher feeding  
 on ... .. The Flycatcher  
 flew from one perch to another  
 and ... ..
- May ... .. a group of  
 migrating ... ..
- May 16. Inyo Mocha. Saw a  
 Brewer Blackbird have a  
 ... .. 50 ft - to its hole

Tuesday, July 1, 1930

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Wednesday, July 2, 1930

1933 -

- June 15 - Redwood Highway 75 miles  
 June 16 Heard *Phainopepla nitens* at Canyon Park - 4 miles north of  
 Heysville. They had young out of nest.  
 June 17. Heysville. Found several  
*Phainopepla nitens* in the canyon. Drove north and  
 ate lunch near the canyon. Found several  
*Phainopepla nitens* had their  
 young in the grass. They were heard  
 constantly. Their song was heard  
 constantly.  
 All the songs have a quality which  
 reminded me of the *Phainopepla nitens*  
 in the Sierras. Very different  
 with some of the notes.  
 At Canyon Park —  
 At Heysville —  
 Further South on song

Thursday, July 3, 1930

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Friday, July 4, 1930

In all three the first note is a long rising slightly in pitch at the end and accented and the last note is rough and accented. The variations occurred in the middle of the song; one having a contour and a turn; another a turn and the third two complete and a single note. The song I hear most frequently in Berkeley is of this third type. It is the middle of the song.

When Mr. Peters' book came out I was quite surprised to see his adaptation of my notes for I have never known a Pigeon Song Sparrow sing three notes down scale in the middle of the song.

At Lake Quato there is a great lot of birds of every description were sitting there in the shade of the Nuttall's willow over the pine and the pump house roof protecting the quats which were downed in the early morning.



Saturday, July 5, 1930

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Sunday, July 6, 1930

1930

June 30. Redwood Bay. [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]  
 Yellow [unclear] [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]

July 4. [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear]

June. [unclear]  
 { [unclear]  
 [unclear]  
 [unclear]  
 [unclear]  
 [unclear]

Aug 24. [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear]

Sept. 17 - Morro Bay.  
 { Brown [unclear], several  
 → { White " a few.

# Monday, July 7, 1930

Collected notes on

1934.

California jay

Feb. 16. A Blue Jay carried a chick to a platform of sticks in an oak tree near our entrance.

Mar. 13. Nest looks finished.

Apr. 10 - feeding young (trees spray -

Apr. 12 " " (ex Apr 17)

Spotted Towhees scolding

Below house. I threw

a stone into tangle where they usually nest. A jay flew out.

Apr. 17. A flock of bush tite went through the garden. A jay dashed at them several times.

Apr. 23. Young Blue Jays calling

Apr. 25 " " " flew,

May 18 " " " learning to bathe.

(Nov. 18. A Blue Jay has been giving the call of a young bird for 10 days. I have seen it fluttering its wings and leaving for food.

1935 Feb. 4 - date )



Wednesday, July 9, 1930

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Thursday, July 10, 1930

*Amel*

Q-100-1

Pat.

The last one is a 'Shoal' -  
a small one (1/2 mile)

(Apr. 9, 1900)

Apr. 19 - bottom torn out of nest

Spent night at ...

Apr 12, 1911, Pt. Reyes Light

Willa - 1900 - 1901

more vibrant than ever!

more like the 1st. variety.

→ Remark:  $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0$

60-70 in diameter of 10-15

Four times a day

atched Branch of ...

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Friday, July 11, 1930

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Saturday, July 12, 1930

1934

(May 21-28, Boulder Creek  
R.R. and bridge removed.)

→ June 1-8, Lake Tahoe -  
Mrs. Hamilton Cottage  
June 7 Linnets building a nest in red pine.

Went to Genoa and Minden

54 species -

Richard birds at Genoa:

Cinnamon Teal, Fairwings,

Vireos, Grosbeaks, Western Phalaropes,

Yellow throats, Chat,

Yellow-headed Blackbirds

Tahoe - 58 species

Hammies and Bright Flycatchers

Hermit Thrush, West. Bluebird,

Sierra Crossbills in canyon,

Waxwings

Goldfinches



Sunday, July 13, 1930

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Monday, July 14, 1930

1934.

→ Berkeley June 20.

Mrs. Parnell brought me  
a Redbreasted Nuthatch, caught  
by her cat near a redwood tree.  
I took it to the museum and  
Mrs. Summer banded it.

→ June 21. Heard young quail call. "

→ June 25. A Miller's Woodpecker  
near the house.

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| July 6 | " | " |
| 7      | " | " |
| 8      | " | " |
| 9      | " | " |
| 11     | " | " |
| 17     | " | " |

Aug 11, 18, 20, Sept 6, 13, 25,

July 12. General strike. No gasolene

(July 22. Moose Landing  
4 sp. Terns. Least, Black,  
Forked, Sooty)

Tuesday, July 15, 1930

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Wednesday, July 16, 1930

1934 Cont.

Aug. 12. Road through sand hills  
Poorville in headlights of auto

Aug. 14 Mountain View Marsh.

Curlew - tide very low.  
Dumbarton Bridge

1000+ Willets and Godwits

600 N. Phalaropes

3 Red Spots. One went  
to sleep in a hole.

White Herons, etc.

→ Sept. 7. Thrasher imitated Wilson Gold-  
finch.

Sept. 7 and 24 A full plumaged Black-Throated  
Gray Warbler was feeding in the  
oaks east of the house.

(Sept. 1. Stellar Jays near the house.)

→ Sept. 24. 11:30 p.m. I heard a Poor  
Will calling - rapid tempo  
143 - slowed to 155. Stop.  
Two more series later.

Thursday, July 17, 1930

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Friday, July 18, 1930

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1934

Dec. 14. As I walked down the hill I heard green whistles. Soon a flock of Mountain Quails over the hill to the south and crossed the canyon toward the N.E.,  
7:45 a.m.

Dec. 26. Los Angeles to Hemet via  
Radio - No time for birds.

Saturday, July 19, 1930

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Sunday, July 20, 1930

1935.

Cont. 1934

Two Band-tailed Pigeons

in the garden Jan. 12 - 17 -

Snow and - 1.000 ft. or more

Jan. 30. Contra Costa - Grindon

Red-bellied Hawk.

San Pablo River - Ring-necked

Ducks (50-100)

Feb. 18. Stockton - Russian Hills,

3000 ft. 2 flocks

Am. Egrets, White-tailed Kite

(Feb. 22. Russian Hills -  
Pantano, etc.)

(March 12. Whiskey song of  
Spotted Towhees (heard))

Easter Sunday, Mar. 24. Near Lake

White-bellied Swans, W. Grebes

calling constantly. W. Grebes

flying to houses etc. Lewis Wood

Returning via Holland. Two swans,

peaks visible. 3000 ft.



Monday, July 21, 1930

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**Tuesday, July 22, 1930**

1935

Apr. 3. This bird not  
heard or seen this spring  
near house.

Apr. 3 - 2 - 1 seen

April 12 - Rose Station

A lady who got off the train  
told me her father was  
Charles Allen of Nicasio for  
many years. Allen Hummingbird  
was named. 51 species

Black Throated Warblers  
above Phoenix Lake.

April 22. In a flock of Golden-  
crowned Kinglets only one  
sang the typical song. Almost  
all sang high middle  
low

Apr. 24. Saw several Hermit  
Warblers in the oaks.

Apr. 26 ditto

Apr. 26. White-throated Swifts in  
Leona Heights Subway.

Wednesday, July 23, 1930

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Received from Mr. J. H. Sullivan  
\$100.00

Thursday, July 24, 1930

1930

→ May 6 - Worms have died/catched -  
many birds in my field -  
No spray needed

(May - search for *Cantharus*  
*interpres* - *typus* for  
first specimen)

May 16 - found nest of 2/  
Ben Lomond Mt.

→ May 21 - June 4 - Lake Tahoe  
Total 22 species  
June 1 - Santa Monica

2 new species -

→ Brewer Sparrow  
Sage Thrasher

June 3. Return to see more  
of birds in the sage brush.

→ Found nest of May 6  
→ Sage Sparrow and Sage  
Thrasher

→ Brewer Sparrow singing  
everywhere -

→ Site of 1st Red-breasted Sapsucker &  
House Wren, Goldfinch

Friday, July 25, 1930

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Sunday, July 27, 1930

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Monday, July 28, 1930

1930

He did not see any of the following  
 birds or mammals.

A small number of  
 Black-throated  
 Greenish Warblers  
 were seen in the  
 first half of the  
 day. A few  
 were seen in the  
 second half of the  
 day.

August

July 21 - 1930

Aug 22 - 1930

Sept 10

Sept 27

Nov. 6. Dec. 30. Aug. 1930

Nov. 3. Found a creek and bank just  
 after a heavy rain with strong  
 S.W. wind. Trees down at Saratoga  
 and in canyon beyond. In the last  
 half hour before reaching the bridge  
 there were about a thousand Black  
 Turnstones. There was quite a band  
 of sounds. When birds were



Tuesday, July 29, 1930

The ... .. Hester is -  
 when migrating Terns fly in  
 large flocks, often in immense  
 black ... .. in small numbers  
 and ... .. on the water.  
 to ... .. making long flights  
 ... .. Dr. Donald B. Mac-  
 ... .. (1915), ... .. flock  
 ... .. in Kennedy

Pribilof Islands ... .. (59)  
 ... ..  
 At about ... .. a small  
 group of ... .. into  
 ... .. from about ... .. large pond  
 and ... .. will  
 ... ..  
 ... .. There ... .. sweep  
 they return, gathering fresh recruits on  
 ... .. until the vicinity of the pond  
 is again reached. Sweeping around  
 ... .. they  
 return up the ... .. and turning once more,  
 ... .. adding to their numbers,  
 they make a straight course out to sea."

(2nd page ahead)

Wednesday, July 30, 1930

1935

The wind was very strong  
motion. The wind must have been  
blowing in by last night's wind  
which was unusually strong  
this section.

At the summit of the ridge there  
a large stack of stones & rocks.

Nov. 4. From the summit of the ridge  
a large part of the stones & rocks  
the T. & C. were gone.

→ Dec 2. From the summit of the ridge  
a large part of the stones & rocks  
the T. & C. were gone. On the summit of the ridge,  
all the stones & rocks were  
dropped to the foot of the ridge  
and the T. & C. were gone.

Dec 2. From the summit of the ridge  
a large part of the stones & rocks  
the T. & C. were gone.

Dec. 16. From the summit of the ridge  
a large part of the stones & rocks  
the T. & C. were gone.

# Thursday, July 31, 1930

*Turnstone, Pacific*

They have repeatedly been seen in the middle of the Pacific Ocean, hundreds of miles from land. This does not seem so remarkable, now that we know that they can alight and rest on the water and rise from it easily.

*to all Turnstone*

Writer "Carl Lien reports that a common winter residents on Destruction Island, off the coast of Washington."

Range. The winter range of the Black Turnstone extends north nearly to the breeding grounds.

Friday, Aug. 1, 1930

1936 Count ...

Jan. 16-17. Death Island

Say ...  
 ...  
 ...

A few large ...

Jan. 18. ...  
 very abundant as compared  
 with the ...  
 19 species in ...

Jan. 22. Near Mt. ...  
 Land - Sandpiper, ...  
 ...  
 and several ...

Jan. 24. ...  
 ...  
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Saturday, Aug. 2, 1930

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Sunday, Aug. 3, 1930

1926

Feb. 5      2 Band      7000-8000 ft  
Hill

✓ Feb. 14. Eastern Fox. One seen near  
the coal mine. 2<sup>nd</sup> time.

Half hour of sitting down

10-12-20

have him back from  
a dead-end, have the  
book between his toes  
while he lies on  
something to rest. You  
suppose he will.

On the night of the 10th of May 1891  
the boat was found to be in a  
bad way and was the  
place where the boat was  
found.

Revised March - a new  
finding 6-4 ft 9 in. etc.

Monday, Aug. 4, 1930

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Tuesday, Aug. 5, 1930

1936

Varied Thrushes, several in flock  
young left.

East Woodcock, 1200 ft. above camp,  
Western Tit, Titmouse, Oregon Wren,  
Spotted and Brown Towhees, Fox  
Sparrow, & Western Tanager,  
A-c. Sparrow, Song Sparrow  
16 species

> Feb. 22 - Boulder Creek and Tilton  
Dumbarton Bridge - stands at  
west end entirely under water.  
On the board walk as counted  
13 Gopher Birds.

> Mar. 1 - Boulder Creek - Took a  
walk with Major Brooks  
and Mr. and Mrs. McLean.  
Major Brooks called all the  
birds to him by whistling  
a melody mouse and whistling  
like a flying bird.



Wednesday, Aug. 6, 1930

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Thursday, Aug. 7, 1930

1936

March 28, Belton 10:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. in oaks and in forest. Siskins, juncos, robins, juncos and juncos. Had to wait for the robins to finish. At noon we all went in front of the modest all the birds.

Mar 31, Varied country, Belton, juncos, Siskins Townsend W. black, Audubon Warblers. Birds seemed abundant. But, birds were very scarce.

April 1, 1936

Apr. 4, Indal Creek, Pleasant Valley. A large flock of Willow Goldfinches feeding on the gravel - sandstone road in Pleasant Valley.

April 9 - Corral Hollow - Rock Wren - all eggs. Prairie Falcon. Goldfinches.

Friday, Aug. 8, 1930

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# Saturday, Aug. 9, 1930

1936

Apr. 29

Humboldt Park

Canyon House etc.

April 30. A pair of Indigo Buntings  
built a nest in the fence on  
the steep bank above the terrace  
on April 10. Eggs May 20.

On April 30 the last of the  
murmuring and twittering of  
these warblers. From my window  
I saw a black cat reaching down  
from the top of the bank and  
clawing out the eggs, which  
must have hatched the day before.  
In house later a (the) pair of  
Vigors Wrens. The single blue house  
Vigors Wrens were nesting in the  
big flicker box (2nd story). On  
May 15 they were seen leaving the  
chickens which was at the top  
Young wrens from June 18. Young  
Indigo Buntings left second nest  
June 12. Titmouse left box May 1.

Sunday, Aug. 10, 1930

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Monday, Aug. 11, 1930

1936

> Sept 9. ...  
...  
> Sept 14 still here ...  
...

Sept. 22 - ... 52 ...  
...  
And ...  
...

✓ Oct 7 Mr. ...  
...  
...  
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Oct 28 ...  
Oct 31 ...  
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Tuesday, Aug. 12, 1930

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Wednesday, Aug. 13, 1930

1936 Gmit.

→ Nov. 12 - Ray Bridge yard

Dec. 19 - Clapp's ...  
Twenty ... W. end of ...

1937 - Jan. 1 - Rain. 4 in. snow on Death's

Jan. 7. Ice on ... all day

Jan. 11 Snow on ridge

Jan. 20 Boulder ... yard

Bird pool frozen solid

Siskins, Goldfinches feeding in  
roadway - Junco, Larks, Hermit  
Thrushes, Hutton Vireo, R-C Kinglet,  
Creeper, Chickadees

Hermit Thrushes seemed to use the  
road as boundary between Town  
Larks.

Jan. 21 24 in. snow

to Jan. 30 - rain, cold.

Feb. Rain until Feb. 22,

Feb. 24 rain - Feb. 27

→ March 13 - Started journey to ...



Thursday, Aug. 14, 1930

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Friday, Aug. 15, 1930

1937

Sept -

July 12. Returned from Oregon.

July 14. Screech Owl scolding  
in flicker box.

July 21. Red Eggs near home.

July 22. Flushed quail from nest  
in iris - 2 eggs.

July 24. Boulder creek opened  
road along old K. line.

Aug. 13 - Swan lake frozen.

Aug. 20. Wrens in wood  
chasing each other. Wrens  
driving young out of territory?

Aug 31 Warblers some in wood.

Sept 10. Several Blackbirds in wood & some

Nov. 22. Valley's River in wood  
Saw it cut off (at high tide)  
4/9 of wood.

1000+ Vireos, little Goldfinches,

500+ Grackles,

5000+ Pintails

3 White-larks

1000+ Willow Goldfinches - some

Nov. 25 (again) 20 Mergansers + some

# Saturday, Aug. 16, 1930

- May 20. Coast of Elaim. Sucunares, figs,  
olives. Saw Bee-eaters - first time -
- May 21. Black. Automobile drive. Like Santa  
Barbara. Small Hawks - about 50  
Males. dark, bluish gray, bills & feet coral.  
Flew like falcons. (Red-legged Falcons)  
Bee-eaters again - above an orchard.
- May 22. Chile. Black. Black-eared Wheat-ears,  
Nightingale - near the Queen's Palace.  
Great tits, Chaffinch.
- May 23. Chile. National Gardens. Nightingale singing.  
Shallot Flycatcher.
- May 24. Blackbirds singing.  
and Cassin's. Y. of Bonifacio
- May 25. Between Sardunya & two swallows on the boat. Roller  
seen: Cinnamon-back, otherwise light blue.  
Flew like a crow. Petrels & Shearwaters.
- June 15. Southampton to Lympington. Tisbury,  
to Keyhaven - On the edge of a marsh -
- June 16. Hornwood House -  
Marsh. Black-backed Gulls (1000s), Lapwings,  
Pintails, Sedge Warblers. At dusk huge  
flocks of Starlings, miking about over marsh. Moorhens  
Fields: Titmice, Skylarks.
- Gardens: Wood Warbler, Starlings, Rooks,  
White Wagtails, (next page, over)

Sunday, Aug. 17, 1930

1937

> Dec. 17 - Very high tide 6.7.

Went to Bay Farm Island. Marsh  
at bridge completely covered.

15 Clapper Pairs on edge of road,  
or on floating road. One allowed  
us to approach within 3 ft. then  
swam to floating road.

Dunbarlon - dyke covered with  
birds. 1000± Gadgets, 2500± Wills.

Very mild winter - first frost in  
late December.

# Monday, Aug. 18, 1930

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At 1:00 P.M. - (contin.)

At 1:00 P.M. - Greenfinches, Goldfinches,  
 Chaffinches, Song Sparrows, Blackbirds,  
 Cirl Buntings, Wrens, Robins, Swallows,  
 Martins, Grackles, Yellow-rumped  
 Crows, White-throats,  
 Red-bellied Shrike.

Tuesday, Aug. 19, 1930

- 1938.
- Mar. 28. Oak Grove, Cal. Horned Lark. Red on throat.
- Mar. 30. Calaveras Valley. Many Starlings.
- Apr. 11. Salinas River Port.
- 1 Red-throated Lark. Red on throat.
- 1000 Black-bellied Plover. 1000.
- Apr. 13. A Horned Lark. Repeated to me. 20 birds at 5 a.m.
- Apr. 17. A Purple Finch. 2 a.m.
- Apr. 22. A Horned Lark. was catching small insects in the terrace. At each run it ran forward on its head and its tail often touching the ground. I found it was common in the field.
- Boulder Creek. 1000.

Wednesday, Aug. 20, 1930

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Thursday, Aug. 21, 1930

1938.

Apr. 27, 28. Carmel

via Mt. Eden. Pools, Humboldt, Kido

Pine Bluffs, Almaden, Hester Pass,

Moss Landing. 108 species

Painin Council

Did not see White Pelicans

Egrets, several ducks,

Snowy Plover, Merganser, etc.

Knights, Black Tern, etc.

Coast Jay, Green Vireo

Tolmie Warbler

100 dead birds in San Mateo Beach.

Commodore, Brown Pelican,

Merganser, etc.

A flock of Sooty Terns blackened  
by oil.

May 4. A Cooper Hawk perched  
in an oak. gave a call  
new to me. — Chir-up.

Another seen above calling  
Ke-ke. Ke-ke. Ke-ke. They flew  
away together.

May 7. At 5:25 a.m. a bird

among the jays. I picked up  
a dead Purple Finch



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Saturday, Aug. 23, 1930

1938.

May 7. Discovered Alameda

Island. 4 Anas.

W. T. B. Sandpiper

Spill

Cinnamon Teal

More birds than at the

Bridge and the river.

South of Alameda

Calif. Gulls and Hudsonian

Gulls following a tractor

May 9. Visited the General Nursery  
between Alameda and San Jose

On the banks of Walnut Creek the

we found: Lazuli Bunting,

Cal. Lin. Vireo, Song Sparrow, Thrasher,

Wood Pewee, Ruffed Grouse, Thrasher,

Pied-billed Grebe and Lutescent Warblers,

Black-bellied, Yellow-bellied, Sunset

Heard Chat.

Sunday, Aug. 24, 1930

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Monday, Aug. 25, 1930

1938.

May 3. Heavy Rain. Edge of  
a ranch where great oak  
oaks border the stream then  
fields beyond. From one spot we  
heard or saw 27 species.

(The next year the stream was  
dry there were very few birds.  
Only one was in full song.)

May 16. At Sacramento R. R. Station  
a Chial sang from 9:35 to 11:00.

May 19. 20. Allie Commencement holiday.  
Visited at Altamira. Big wood and  
apples in bloom - 4000 ft.  
Fox Sparrow and Hermit Warbler  
in full song. Saw White-headed  
Woodpecker and others.  
(In March a flock of  
came to the stone chimney  
and pecked at the mortar.)

Tuesday, Aug. 26, 1930

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Wednesday, Aug. 27, 1930

1938

May 22 - Boulder Creek

Wrens and warblers singing much louder than thrushes. Green-backed Goldfinches and Olive-sided Flycatchers.

May 31 - No warblers at Boulder Creek.

June 6 - Lake Tahoe via Hotel Creek, Norden Highway, Truckee, Lakeport, Silver Lake, and Reno.

Most striking: man fishing on a weed stalk in lake.

Boulder Highway, Truckee. All lunch under Blue-birds. Then - 22 birds seen - among them Swallows. Chat.

On grassy fields - Horned Larks perched in grass. All having 2 eggs. Sometimes 25 in sight at the same time. Lake Sparrows, also.

Snow above Strawberry.

At Rubicon Beach the first birds seen from Reno were and N. L. Larks.

Thursday, Aug. 28, 1930

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Friday, Aug. 29, 1930

1938.

Rubicon beach. Ground covered  
with mangrove creepers  
Ceanothus with a bloom,  
Scaevola large red flower.

June 7. Breakfast outdoors at the  
Twelve o'clock in the shade,  
one of them seen a young bird  
(two young with mother in song)  
Mt White-crowned Sparrow, the  
Lark, the 4 Woodpeckers, many  
the alouera, several in the  
and Warbling Vireo.

June 8. Trip to Nevada via King's  
Road which has just been paved.  
Near Bishop young birds were  
seen to nest. The view over  
the mountain valley showed much  
more water than on previous  
trips. At Reno there were  
the usual Quail, Golden Plover,  
Sparrows, plus a flock of Waxwings.  
When crossing to Nevada we saw  
to replace a small field that has  
been drained and planted to corn.



Saturday, Aug. 30, 1930

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Sunday, Aug. 31, 1930

1938

The dykes were covered with moss  
and 6-8 ft. high and very old. The  
Three Long-tailed Woodpeckers were  
wildly in different parts of the  
dykes. Just below the ground level  
Hill's Magpies were squawking for  
food. At the ranch near

Minden a Fulvous Tree Toad,  
several Chimney Swifts and  
Canada Geese were seen.

Yellow-headed Vireos were  
seen in a tree at the ranch.

Adding downy woodpeckers  
were also seen at the ranch.

A yellow-crowned night heron was  
seen at the ranch.

Black Terns were seen at the ranch  
and through the water.

and also at the ranch. They  
were more common on the dykes.

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Monday, Sept. 1, 1930

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Tuesday, Sept. 2, 1930

1938

profound but I was surprised  
to find two more of them  
on the Lake shore.

June 2. In the morning I went to  
Rubicon Park, just across the road  
from Emerald Bay. I found a large  
group of them by the water's edge  
of Lake Tahoe. They were  
all right on the shore and  
the top of the mountain was  
in sight. There were two types  
of song - one with the long  
note and the other with the short  
note. The other was a  
cheerful, upward curve. The other  
was a short, sharp note and  
had a different sound.

July 1. Sunday.

July 1. A young Screech Owl left the  
nest in a hole in the oak tree  
behind the house - he was  
not a bird.

July 12. Boulder Beach. There were  
4 birds.

July 15. Still Lake. 100 birds.  
Boulder Beach.

Wednesday, Sept. 3, 1930

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Thursday, Sept. 4, 1930

1938

July 13. Lumberton, N.C. 10:00. The  
 note. The note was singing that after  
 > A note with the same pitch as the first  
 as the note of the first note of the first note.  
 The note, the note of the first note of the first note.  
 I don't know. I don't know. I don't know.  
 And were singing the note of the first note.  
 The note of the first note of the first note.

July 25. 10:00. The note of the first note of the first note.  
 The note of the first note of the first note.  
 The note of the first note of the first note.  
 10:00. The note of the first note of the first note.  
 The note of the first note of the first note.

Aug 8. Piping Nuthatches which nest  
 along the Douglas Fir in the  
 dense woods. The note of the first note of the first note.  
 redwood. The note of the first note of the first note.  
 usual in the woods.

Aug 11. A note of the first note of the first note.  
 ocean near Santa Cruz.  
 At one time I saw a note of the first note of the first note.  
 something on the surface of the  
 water, about 2 ft. deep. That  
 it wanted. It lifted its

Friday, Sept. 5, 1930

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Saturday, Sept. 6, 1930

1938.

wings and beat them lightly  
against its back and P. judges  
used its feet at the same  
time. Using both methods  
of propulsion it fairly skimmed  
over the water, snatched up the  
insects and settled quickly  
on the surface.

Aug. 22 - 100 of Swallows in  
the river at the salt works  
inside the Coyote hole.  
They were Barn Swallows and  
violet-green with a few  
immatures. They came down to  
the ground where there was a  
surface of wet mud. In the  
afternoon they flew up.  
Mourning gulls were more numerous  
and many immatures in immature  
plumage. Both redpolls and  
Pomarine. In a flock of  
Black-throated Thrushes, 4 were in  
immature plumage.



Sunday, Sept. 7, 1930

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Monday, Sept. 8, 1930

1938.

(Aug. 30. A thrasher came to the table first time for several years.

Aug. 31 - Kingfisher in bottom of canyon - as usual at this time.

Sept. 1 - Martins chipping

Sept. 1. Explored the new Ocean Shore road south of San Francisco as far as Half Moon Bay. Crossed to San Mateo Bridge, then Oakland Air Port.

At Sharps Park: A female & 2 young Sanderlings by three young - Savannah Sp. Nuthall Sparrows all along coast. Brown Towhees from Half Moon Bay and San Mateo (not along coast).

At S. M. Bridge: Snowy Plover 6; No Red-backed Sandpiper 4 (Carpenter Terns); 10 Forked Tails in winter plumage.  
Total 43 species.

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Wednesday, Sept. 10, 1930

1938.

Sept. 9. Santa Cruz. Shearwaters off shore (1000+).

Sept. 10. Returned via R.I. to S.F.  
No raders. W. and H. and many  
Gulls in general but in a  
large flock. S. and P. were  
many California Gulls. Sand  
was covered with white feathers,  
many of them fresh feathers.  
Nearby: 6 Turkey Vultures  
feeding on carcasses of  
Brown Pelicans.

Sept. 12. Berkeley. Lunch in garden.  
A Thrasher sang all the time,  
incorporating the Squawker squawk,  
squawk of a Jay and the Chickadee  
note of the Titmouse.

Sept. 13 - 4 p.m. A Thrasher sang a  
very different song - very crude,  
no imitation -

{ Sept. 14. Noticed seeds on top of the wall -  
probably regurgitated by birds.

{ Sept. 15. Robins eating wild grapes at  
Valley's Reservoir. Ruddy Duck  
with seven young - Many grouse  
flycatchers in trees - Train? Wren?

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Friday, Sept. 12, 1930

1938.

Sept 15 (contin.)

Sears P.E. Road.

2 White-throats

7th Redstart, 1000+ Bluebirds, 1000+ Goldfinches

1000+ Purple Finches (very many)

1000+ Grackles

Sept 16. I heard the note of a Redstart  
Hawk - two miles off course.

Sept 22 - Thrasher imitates song  
bird - much like song of European  
Black Thrush. The Thrasher  
I have heard it. Sept 22 till present

Sept 26 Cooper's Hawks song 1930

Sept 27 Rain - many birds  
and insects

Oct 1. Dumbarton Bridge

1000+ White-throats

1000+ Goldfinches - many others

Calif King's a few Barn Swallows

Oct 2. Laredo 1000+ Goldfinches, fewer others

No Redstarts seen

Oct 5

Oct 6 Rain 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Soon after

Hawk rose in front of N. road out (over)

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Sunday, Sept. 14, 1930

1938.

Oct 6 (cont'd) Cooper's Hawk (cont'd)

When clear of the trees it began to rise in circles. Sometimes it flapped its wings twice in a circle, sometimes once; sometimes it almost completed a second circle before flapping. It took about 5-7 minutes to rise 200-1500 ft. - almost out of sight, then it sailed southward and disappeared. Good riddance!

Oct. 11- 11 Wood Ducks on San Gabriel River over

Oct. 23, Mt. View Marsh. Tide right -

Birds very abundant -  
First Red-backed Sandpipers.

Dunbar's Br. Pelicans (nesting) Hunting  
12-15 Ravens (nesting)

Oct. 25 From Cadiz, Pa. we saw about 60 White Pelicans, circling for hours, then heading N.W.

(Nov. 6 Davis Song of Lincoln (Sharrow)  
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Monday, Sept. 15, 1930

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Tuesday, Sept. 16, 1930

1938.

- Nov. 20. Mt. View Marsh - 2 p.m. Tide  
just going out (ideal conditions)  
Whole marsh as far as we could  
see covered with birds (10,000?)
- Dec. 7. 2 Great Horned Owls on electric  
line near road.
- Dec. 8. A Grackles - some into the  
small pond near road near house.
- Dec. 16. Saw the Old Squaw Duck reported  
by Mr. Kelly at the Squaw Lake.
- Dec. 21. Mt. View Marsh - 3 p.m. Tide right.  
Thousands of birds - mostly gulls.  
Huge flocks of sandpeeps - some  
wheeling, some just and wheeling  
etc. They looked almost like waves  
on the beach when the surf is high.

Wednesday, Sept. 17, 1930

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Thursday, Sept. 18, 1930

1939-

Jan. 2. Moss Landing. A male  
Red-breasted Merganser in full  
plumage just above the bridge.  
Double black crest, red breast,  
red back and red feet. When  
I came too near it flew  
across the bridge just in front  
of me, showing the white basal  
half of the wing. A very  
striking duck, graceful  
diver.

### Boulder Creek

Clouds of Pine Siskins in flocks from  
the alders. Robins, Varied  
Thrushes and Hermit Thrushes  
very abundant.

Revelation

Jan. 19. I walked down to Tracy and  
Heard many Song Sparrows,  
each one singing and often  
holding his territory.

Jan. 25. Dunbarton Bridge and  
Seaton Lake. Total 76 sp.  
Special 8 Whistling Swans  
(2 ad, 6 im)

Returned via Shute Creek  
W. Sandpiper very ab.

Friday, Sept. 19, 1930

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# Saturday, Sept. 20, 1930

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Feb. 22, 1939

A. Miller, Jr. & family  
 1000 S. 1st St. St. Paul, Minn.

Feb. 23, 1939

500 S. 1st St. St. Paul, Minn.

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Mar. 1, 1939

St. Paul, Minn.

Mar. 2, 1939

St. Paul, Minn.

Feeding birds: Barn Swallow, Goldfinch,

House Wren, Thrasher,

Hermit Thrush, Red-winged Blackbird,

Purple Finch, Common Towhee, etc.

For Sparrows, Foxglove, etc.

St. Paul, Minn.

St. Paul, Minn.

Sunday, Sept. 21, 1930

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Monday, Sept. 22, 1930

1939

April is Easter holiday  
Christians celebrate

Clear Lake - 7 days Redhead in house  
Vg. Small - 40 6/8

April 18. I beat ground S.W. of ...  
red ... .. Called  
... ..

April 16, 1904. 2nd. 1000 ft.

Bank House, 2001

Came in April 2. Heard in three  
places in San Antonio valley. One  
ear was shot. One and one  
above San Antonio.

April 21 - 2 feet of snow. The snow  
has been one pure white  
snow. The leaves are  
deadly to be in stock. The  
snow has been a steady snow  
all day.

Saw one gopher hole near the house  
(Established there.)



Tuesday, Sept. 23, 1930

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Wednesday, Sept. 24, 1930

1939

April 22 San Diego Harbor  
 "C" saw and 3000 B. B. B. B. B.  
 with the gulls, for the day.

Alameda Park

Canary Wren has a nest  
 made a little later in the  
 nest of the other.

Colon-natalia d. White and  
 throat are still very  
 conspicuous.

Long-tailed Halcyon during  
 lunch.

Alameda - Park. Total 52 -

April 29 Drunkard's Bridge

First call from the birds

of Western Sandpiper.

Multitudes such as I have  
 never seen before.

12 Semi-palmated Plover  
 at Mt. San March

Thursday, Sept. 25, 1930

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Friday, Sept. 26, 1930

1939-

May 1 - Tilden Park  
Nest of House Wren.  
near Tilden - dead.

May 11 - A second pair of House  
Wrens are established in the  
nesting box near the first pair.

May 15, 16 Bird trip to Berkeley (2 days)  
via Alvarado Canyon, Diamond Lake,  
Mt. View Marsh, Saratoga.  
In afternoon to W. Hill, 1 mi  
Santa Cruz 5-6 pm.

2nd Day - Santa Cruz, Big Trees  
Returned to Berkeley after 7 pm.

High lights of trip:

Loons - Santa Cruz, flocks of,  
above flying north 15+35+20+17

Scoters - in migrating flocks.

Pigeon Guillemot - enters hole in cliff.

5 kinds of Flycatchers at Tilden.

Mullall Sparrows only at Mt. View  
and Santa Cruz.

Saturday, Sept. 27, 1930

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Sunday, Sept. 28, 1930

1939

May 22. The two House Wrens  
up near the hole boxes and  
quite content. In the same hole  
of the house. The one near  
the front door flew back to the  
Leyden near the box. The other  
remained near the front door.

May 23. At 10:00 a House Wren  
broke through song at the  
rate of 15-20 notes per minute  
for an hour.

Drove to Los Banos. Leaving 8:30  
from 7:30 to 8:00. Arrived at  
Los Banos. In the trees  
all of the blackbirds, Brewer's  
Redwings, Towhees, and  
Yellowthroats. A family  
of Florida Yellowthroats - 2's young  
in the trees have old birds.

May 24. Made the count of the  
Gambel's Quail - 53 White  
Pelicans, rising and falling  
all the time.

Herring more abundant (see)

Monday, Sept. 29, 1930

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Tuesday, Sept. 30, 1930

1939. Las Banderas (Continued)  
 Great Blue, Black-crowned Night  
 Heron and a White Heron.  
 One migrant heron to be seen  
 in a willow tree!

Outside the refuge - Downy Woodpecker  
 and a White-crowned Sparrow.

→ In one small pond were a Snowy  
 Egret, a Black-crowned Night  
 Heron and a White Heron. The

Snowy Egret several times lifted  
 his plumes and made a rush  
 at the Night Heron. Suddenly  
 a pair of Kingbirds flew at  
 the Egret, circles and dropped  
 again and again, almost striking  
 the Egret's head. Each time the  
 Egret lifted his plumes, covered  
 his body and tucked his head  
 to avoid the blow. Finally the  
 Egret flew with the Kingbirds in  
 close pursuit. The Kingbirds' nest  
 was on the crossbar of  
 an electric pole near the pond.  
 Total 62 species.



Wednesday, Oct. 1, 1930

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Thursday, Oct. 2, 1930

1939.

June 7 - One of the baby wrens was found dead on the ground near the front door.

June 8 - 2 more dead wrens.  
(Inquiry - One of the down-lane wrens from the house box killed the young one in the upper box.)

June 10, No shorebirds, either at the house or at Dunbar's except 24 plovers, one of which was shot, also 15 sand - Three at Dunbar's.

June 12, Note of baby wrens flicker box audible.

June 13, Baby wrens no longer calling.

June 22 - 23, 1st meeting Condor Sisters.

→ June 24, A young Shrike bird from the flicker box spent the morning asleep in a wicker chair on the front porch.  
In the afternoon, one by one, two other young shrikes appeared.

Friday, Oct. 3, 1930

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Reindeer, Reddish-brown.

Young. "Young reindeer are very  
 precocious and leave the nest  
 soon after hatching. They take to  
 the water at an early age, where they  
 swim and dive like young ducks.  
 I have seen a woodchuck young,  
 which would not have been touched  
 more than a few hours, swimming  
 out in a lake, as if very much  
 at ease."

Saturday, Oct. 4, 1930

1939.

About 4:00 p.m. I found the  
left hand end of the  
huddled together in the  
of the porch. When we came  
back from dinner they were gone,  
but were sitting near the house  
during the evening.

Jan. 2 - We drove to Ocala and  
spent the night there. Chickens  
were safe and many birds were  
feeding in the yard. Bald-tailed  
Pigeons, Robins, W. Thrushes,  
Tanager and Purple Finches.  
I could find no Larks (4 seen)  
(Larks that were not  
perhaps migrants - do they  
come from Mexico?)

July 2 - At Dunbar's Bridge we  
saw many 3rd broods of 3 young  
young birds feeding in the water  
pool. (Many - some they feed  
in fresh water?) (See opp. page)  
70+ White-bellies seen.  
Nothing at all seen at Dunbar's.

Sunday, Oct. 5, 1930

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Monday, Oct. 6, 1930

1939.

July 5 - returning from the ...  
Mt. ... Surprised to  
find about 44 ...  
as well as 40 ...

At ...

of Phalaropes, a few small ...  
of ...  
see a ...  
bird ...

The real migration of the ...  
seems to occur late - some  
years not until ...  
a few ... may go through  
early.

Two groups of baby ...  
seen, the first three were feeding  
along the edge of the ...  
... about  
1/3 grown. The second three  
were very tiny and when I  
got out of the ... the parents  
became very much excited. One  
bird crouched in the ... and  
dragged its ...  
head and ...  
preparing to ...

Tuesday, Oct. 7, 1930

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Wednesday, Oct. 8, 1930

1939.

The usual group of Caspian Terns was seen and also a group of 10-12 Least Terns - both adults and immatures. The birds of most were very large and the small ones as well as the call (but to) all were very close to the birds. They seemed to be looking around for food. They did not plunge into the water but were very active.

On July 9 at Cambridge Bay we saw about 200 Shearwaters off shore and Gulls were feeding young in their burrows. They brought in very small fish. We saw a few more at the head of the bay's mouth.

On Aug 15 at Cambridge Bay Bridge the young Gulls were just beginning to show black feathers. Both Caspian and Least Terns were abundant.



Thursday, Oct. 9, 1930

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# Friday, Oct. 10, 1930

1939.

July 29 - Sunday - 1894

Young animals are born in the  
 thick forest. are soft gray and  
 needles dark reddish brown.

There were two Lared Grebes and  
with them a small bird which  
looked and acted like a small  
Sparrow or similar. I saw  
Albino Lared Grebe.

[illegible]

July 21, 1901

While arranging my traps  
bearing sharp, slender ones I  
finally discovered that they  
came from a dead bee colony  
upon the steep wooded slope  
of Ben Lomond Mt. — through  
my binoculars I could see  
two young black pollinators  
against the sky. Later I found

Saturday, Oct. 11, 1930

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Sunday, Oct. 12, 1930

1939

July 31. Dumbarton Bridge.

A great aggregation of Barn Swallows alighting on the edge of the pool.

60-100 Grackles, many young.

Aug. 6. Boulder Bank.

A young Cooper's Hawk was seen flying from the same road to north.

Aug. 7. Dumbarton.

Saw the same birds near the road. Barn Swallows still more numerous - 25-50 alight in the road ahead of us. 100+ on the mud bank at the side. Eating soft food.

Aug 20-22. Boulder Bank. Each

evening about 7 p.m. a Water snake flew in with a water bug, caught two or three times, then went to roost on the little island just below the bridge.

Monday, Oct. 13, 1930

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Wednesday, Oct. 15, 1930

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Thursday, Oct. 16, 1930

Sept 23 Carmel - Feeding table.

5-Pygmy Nuthatches came to feeding table even when there was nothing left.

They always look rather nervous and when bathing they flick the water with the tail.

Oct. 7. Lumberton Bridge.

200± Eared Grebes in the wet pool. Among the first ones seen was the albino (July 29 Aug 7) with white feet of the road. I could see the red-colored eyes.

Oct. 8. Saw one P. near the road. As we drove down the grade we began to notice Swif. as we stopped to look at them. They were Vaux Swif. - 5 or 6 of them in sight at the time but I think there were many more for we had seen a number before we stopped.



Friday, Oct. 17, 1930

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# Saturday, Oct. 18, 1930

Oct. 14. San Antonio. No birds seen.  
 6 Red-tailed, 12 White, 21 Black.  
 5 birds very close to the ground.

Nov. 11. Bunkerton.  
 10000 Brown-headed Gulls.  
 Saw a large flock  
 of Robins flying over summit  
 towards south (again Nov. 11).

Nov. 14. Umanche Park.  
 Saw a flock of 600  
 Red-tailed 300  
 Black 50

Nov. 15. Lake Merritt.  
 A man saw a bird on  
 his back. He saw it in his hand -  
 he said it was a Sparrow and  
 he said it was a Sparrow.  
 When he became unable to  
 Sparrow as yet but there was a  
 bell like sound in his throat

Quatic Park. A bird saw  
 his reflection in the water and  
 of an auto which was seen at  
 it repeatedly.

Sunday, Oct. 19, 1930

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Monday, Oct. 20, 1930

1940

Jan. 1. ... ..

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Tuesday, Oct. 21, 1930

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Thursday, Oct. 23, 1930

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Friday, Oct. 24, 1930

1940.

March 29, 30 Birds sitting in nest.  
Raining hard.

Apr. 9. Siskins, Audubon Warblers  
and Robins sitting in nest.

Apr. 10 ditto + 2 Golden C. Sparrows.  
2:30 - 2:45 p.m. 1 sample  
fruit, 10 ft. from where I sat, Sang  
both were under 5 in 5 minutes,  
the oak worms, sang full voice  
all from one branch of oak tree.

Apr. 22, Cedar Lake 5:30 p.m. 1 sample.

May 21. Brimleyton 10:00 p.m. 1 sample.

May 29. Silverado Trail, part of upper -  
(old orchard on east, stream runs  
west, etc. etc. etc.)

Mixing of songs. 2:45 p.m.

Cricket -

Further north - Black Th. Gray and  
Towhee Warbler.

Black

Black Sparrow  
Gnatcatcher



Saturday, Oct. 25, 1930

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Sunday, Oct. 26, 1930

1946

May 12 - ... ..

Phainopepla - building nest  
 Audubon's - brooding - nest  
 at ... .. branch of ... ..  
 Towhee - brooding - nest  
 ... ..

May 13 - ... ..  
 Mr + Mrs ... ..

May 14 - ... ..

Boulder Creek  
 June 25 - Walter ... .. 1499  
 Mother brought animal to baby  
 baby ... .. mother picked  
 it up, went to the edge of the ... ..  
 dipped the animal into the water  
 went back to the baby, again the  
 animal ... ..  
 up, went again to the edge of  
 the water, dipped it in, returned  
 to the baby and at last the  
 baby ... .. the animal  
 The father sang ... ..  
 Mother then down ... .. baby  
 walked about on the ... ..  
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 ... .. but lost ... ..  
 ... .. the father was ... ..

Monday, Oct. 27, 1930

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Tuesday, Oct. 28, 1930

1940

June 7 - Baby Hazel took what  
the mother offered without  
any fuss or fuss. Father  
presented near by

June 12 - To Los Angeles

Delivered to San Francisco Museum  
When we entered a small room singing  
birds and Poughon's birds were  
more flying to and from a window above  
the altar. A small table was  
at home inside. Father's  
bird tank in the room. When  
we looked behind the tank we found  
9 bats hanging there. It was a  
lively museum.

June 16, After attending to some business  
at Pomona College we drove  
via Santa Ana, Orange to Los Angeles  
and then to Woodbury, California  
where we visited with work on the  
New Teacher was feeding Hummingbirds  
wherever. There were 11 feeders  
each holding fully a quart of sugar  
and Hummingbirds were busy  
about them all the time - coming

Wednesday, Oct. 29, 1930

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Thursday, Oct. 30, 1930

1940.

Amaz, Corina and Blackbird  
Mr. Tucker showed me a nest of  
a Blackbird - covered with the  
leaves from the underside of the  
more leaves. (T. Tucker)

I shall return back to  
Mission San Juan Bautista  
There were many things to be  
noticed, especially in the  
of the stone church.

June 18. On the morning trip we  
went to see the mission  
which has been restored  
by the state in recent years -  
Cliff Swallows were just as much  
at home there as at home. They do not  
receive so much publicity -

June 19. From Reno City we traveled  
by way of the Truckee River to  
Hollister. At the same time  
every body has a good time in the  
fields a great choice of birds -  
found White-throated Sparrows,  
Shrikes of Woodpeckers, Violet green  
Swallows, Titmice, Slender billed  
Nuthatches, Canyon wren, etc., etc.

Friday, Oct. 31, 1930

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Saturday, Nov. 1, 1930

1940

W. J. H. M. van der Vlist

11 6. ... ..  
and ... ..

July 21

Aug. 24. ... ..

Interest in Swamp Land - T. Mc. Rice, Marsh-

Mr. Emerson

house in Haysville was a gathering place for birders. Sometimes C. O. C. met there.



Sunday, Nov. 2, 1930

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Monday, Nov. 3, 1930

1940

Sept. 1 ...

+2-1-1-1

Sept 4 ...

Oct 11 ... Arctic Tern

darker than ...

... Buck ...

... 20 mi ...

... 3 in ...

Oct 12 ...

... where we ...

Oct 26 ...

... on the ...

Nov 1 ...

Nov 2 ...

Nov 25 ... increasing ...

Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1930

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Thursday, Nov. 6, 1930

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Friday, Nov. 7, 1930

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Young of the Year -

5-10-1930

Mar 29 - 30 - 1930

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Mar 29 - 30 - 1930

Mar 31 - Apr 1 - 1930

Apr 1 - 1930

Apr 1 - 1930

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Apr 1 - 1930

Saturday, Nov. 8, 1930

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Sunday, Nov. 9, 1930

1941

Roughly 10 miles

Apr. 22 Before breakfast 4 Ring-necked Duck  
Coots, Fox, Cormorant, Blue Jay,  
Buffle heads, Meadowlark, Kestrel,  
Sp. Hawk, Redwing, B. W. Tree Toad,  
Amd. Warbler, 1 P. Kinglet, Lincoln  
Sparrow, Phoebe.

Panama River - Down to Panama  
Rock Wren -

→ At summit, a raven dropped to ground  
Pursued by Hawk - Near the ground  
The hawk was above the raven. They  
both rose, the hawk soaring in  
spirals. The raven flying. When  
the raven succeeded in getting above  
the hawk it began to attack by drop-  
ping down at it, and under;  
rose immediately above, attacked  
again. The hawk continued to circle.  
The raven to attack until they dis-  
appeared in the clouds.

Death Valley (noon) - Saw several  
Furnace Creek in condensation, raven  
To Dante's View - Rock Wren, Kestrel, Sp.  
1 Ruby-cr. Kinglet - on rock, no tree.



Monday, Nov. 10, 1930

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Tuesday, Nov. 11, 1930

1941

Apr. 3 Death Valley Junction - Fox Pass.

Shoshone to Barstow and Victorville.  
Desert Spar, Rock Wren, Yarrow Thrasher.

Shoshone, - March, meadows, meadows  
middle - birds are abundant

1 hour. Leail Dance - San Mar Allen,  
Yellowthroat, 1000 - Guat Allen.

House Wren (quality, 4th of July)

4th of July, 1930. Clipping of 1930.

Gambel's, 2nd of July

Silver Lake (Lumber - 1st of July) Say & Charles  
had a nest in a shanty - all, feeding  
young.

Mohave River (Humboldt) -

Flocks of Gambel's, 2nd of July; a few 1st of July.

Yellowthroats, Larks, 1st of July.

Redwings, 1st of July, 1st of July.

Lavender Goldfinches, 1st of July.

Wednesday, Nov. 12, 1930

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Thursday, Nov. 13, 1930

Apr. 4. Victorville - before breakfast: White-throats  
 Simple (1st) ... took down  
 Gambel's sparrow ...  
 Song sp. ...  
 1 W. Flycatcher ... feeding  
 12-14 Crows ...

To Canyon Pass - Jackson Co. N.M.  
Shrike - 1  
Titmouse - 1  
N. end of ...  
Sparrows, ...  
Thrashers - a pair ...  
when Mrs. ...

Return via Kramer - I saw a  
great field of grain  
Flock of T. Buzzards (15-20) were  
moving steadily northward and a  
flock of T. Buzzards southward -  
20 miles N. of - - - - -  
Crows - very abundant  
Kramer - 6 Ring-billed Gulls  
Baldpate - 10 - - - - - high and  
having rain -  
Flowers at foot of Tobacco pipe road

Friday, Nov. 14, 1930

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Saturday, Nov. 15, 1930

1941

Apr. 5. Rained via Shapiro (bridge and  
to San Felipe) - Vasco, East, Middle,  
Coahuila, Tama, Madras,  
Wild Flowers.

Shoreland Sparrows in flocks  
Lark

Brewer's Blackbirds in great  
flocks along north side

Lunch - bridge - Rancho San Antonio  
Horned Larks singing in long rows  
Highway under water in many places  
north of Madras  
Tama, Vasco, Tama, Vasco, Tama, Vasco.

Apr. 6. Rancho to San Felipe, Vasco, San Felipe

Apr. 7. Rancho to San Felipe - all day at San Felipe  
Tama, Vasco, San Felipe, Tama, Vasco  
San Felipe, Tama, Vasco, San Felipe  
Robins, Red Wing, San Felipe, Tama, Vasco  
St. Louis, Song Sparrow, Horned Lark

Apr. 8. Tama, Vasco

2 Horned Larks - 1 in Tama, Vasco  
When milkman dropped at Tama, Vasco  
2 W. T. Sparrows flew into his hands

Sunday, Nov. 16, 1930

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Monday, Nov. 17, 1930

1930

Apr 9. Howell Mountain, Contra Costa Co. - Apr 11

Apr 13 - Birds in water on San Rafael

+ W. 1 mile. San Rafael

Apr 17. Cooper's

Apr 20. Smith's - first oil spill, 100

Apr 21. No more singing

Apr 22. M. 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

May 5. Silverado Trail, 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

31 species in one hour

31

N. to Sligo Gap, 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

W. 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

Sligo Gap. Lawrence, 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

Slender billed, 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

May 6. 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

May 18. 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

1000 ft. 1000 ft.

1000 ft. 1000 ft.

May 19. 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

1000 ft. 1000 ft.

1000 ft. 1000 ft.

May 21. 1000 ft. 1000 ft.

1000 ft. 1000 ft.



Tuesday, Nov. 18, 1930

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# Wednesday, Nov. 19, 1930

1941

June 15. Boulder Co. Camp  
 In our place 29 species, 84+ ind.  
 In the town 3 "  
 Big Tree Rd. 6 " ad. d. 25 sp.  
 June 16 River Glen 57 " "  
 San Diego Gap 12 " "  
 Total 45 "

Public Trustee, looking for signs of  
 Sanction.

Big Tree Rd. just out of town,  
 calling continuously. I found him  
 in a dense hemlock and watched  
 him some time. His back was  
 toward me so I whistled, hoping  
 he would turn toward me. He did  
 a circle motion and he began  
 slowly toward me, dodged and  
 came about six feet behind me.  
 Whistled again and he ran  
 toward me. I decided he  
 must be very hungry so  
 I went away.

(over)

Thursday, Nov. 20, 1930

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# Friday, Nov. 21, 1930

1941

June 15. W. Florida. ...  
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June 15. Boulder ...

to ...

Tree Toad, ...

Woodpecker, Black ...

Partridge, ...

Cast ...

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2. ... .. + 7

3. ... ..

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... .. + 6

June 16. ... .. + 6

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... ..

W. Tanager

Savannah ... .. + 2

... ..

Total 46

Saturday, Nov. 22, 1930

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Sunday, Nov. 23, 1930

1941

June 15. Boulder Bear Creek

16

Dumbarton Bridge, 15 days, 15 hours

5 W. Pel., 1 Caspian Tern, 1 H. L. Gull, 1 S. Gull

June 23. Boulders, 15 days, 15 hours

at hole in ground

W. Pel. that started five nests,  
one in each of four corners of  
cave and one in center

June 24. No. 6. 15 days, 15 hours

June 26. Boulders, 15 days, 15 hours  
at the end of the road, 15 hours  
in succession

The 15 hours in succession, 15 days, 15 hours  
(July 1, Friday 19, 1930)

June 28. Boulders, 15 days, 15 hours  
light in morning, dark in evening  
One often in hole, head and  
neck out, looking out, another looks  
back in. They sit first up, then  
at a hole, then in hole at night -  
sitting to keep babies.

7 ft. for nest, on level with ground  
The parents sit in hole, head

Monday, Nov. 24, 1930

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Tuesday, Nov. 25, 1930

1941

- June 30 by the beach. The strange  
young bird took its mate, then  
some something and then a head  
appeared at the hole.
- July 2. These young birds left the box 2 mi.  
Spent the day on oak branches near by.
- July 3. 2 in oak tree - looking
- July 3. Dunbar's Redpoll  
W Sandpiper - 100 - close flock  
W. W. 50  
L. W. 100 - 100 yd. 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2  
Forster Tern 8 - 10

mt View March - 4 H. Larks, 20 P.  
1000

- July 14. Echo Lake - Thunder showers.  
Hermit Thrush at sunset  
White-crowned Sparrows
- July 21. Santa Cruz  
2 for Gullblennets carrying fish  
to nest in cliff.  
Bank Swallow  
Cliff  
Herring Gulls - 200 - 2000



Wednesday, Nov. 26, 1930

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Thursday, Nov. 27, 1930

1941

July 23 - Santa Cruz

2745

250 to 300

15 to 20

12 to 15

Swainson - 1st feeding 14

Red-tailed Hawk "

211 "

Aug 2-4 Boulder - nest of 3

Turdus - 2nd day 249

both parents young of Sept. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100. 101. 102. 103. 104. 105. 106. 107. 108. 109. 110. 111. 112. 113. 114. 115. 116. 117. 118. 119. 120. 121. 122. 123. 124. 125. 126. 127. 128. 129. 130. 131. 132. 133. 134. 135. 136. 137. 138. 139. 140. 141. 142. 143. 144. 145. 146. 147. 148. 149. 150. 151. 152. 153. 154. 155. 156. 157. 158. 159. 160. 161. 162. 163. 164. 165. 166. 167. 168. 169. 170. 171. 172. 173. 174. 175. 176. 177. 178. 179. 180. 181. 182. 183. 184. 185. 186. 187. 188. 189. 190. 191. 192. 193. 194. 195. 196. 197. 198. 199. 200. 201. 202. 203. 204. 205. 206. 207. 208. 209. 210. 211. 212. 213. 214. 215. 216. 217. 218. 219. 220. 221. 222. 223. 224. 225. 226. 227. 228. 229. 230. 231. 232. 233. 234. 235. 236. 237. 238. 239. 240. 241. 242. 243. 244. 245. 246. 247. 248. 249. 250. 251. 252. 253. 254. 255. 256. 257. 258. 259. 260. 261. 262. 263. 264. 265. 266. 267. 268. 269. 270. 271. 272. 273. 274. 275. 276. 277. 278. 279. 280. 281. 282. 283. 284. 285. 286. 287. 288. 289. 290. 291. 292. 293. 294. 295. 296. 297. 298. 299. 300. 301. 302. 303. 304. 305. 306. 307. 308. 309. 310. 311. 312. 313. 314. 315. 316. 317. 318. 319. 320. 321. 322. 323. 324. 325. 326. 327. 328. 329. 330. 331. 332. 333. 334. 335. 336. 337. 338. 339. 340. 341. 342. 343. 344. 345. 346. 347. 348. 349. 350. 351. 352. 353. 354. 355. 356. 357. 358. 359. 360. 361. 362. 363. 364. 365. 366. 367. 368. 369. 370. 371. 372. 373. 374. 375. 376. 377. 378. 379. 380. 381. 382. 383. 384. 385. 386. 387. 388. 389. 390. 391. 392. 393. 394. 395. 396. 397. 398. 399. 400. 401. 402. 403. 404. 405. 406. 407. 408. 409. 410. 411. 412. 413. 414. 415. 416. 417. 418. 419. 420. 421. 422. 423. 424. 425. 426. 427. 428. 429. 430. 431. 432. 433. 434. 435. 436. 437. 438. 439. 440. 441. 442. 443. 444. 445. 446. 447. 448. 449. 450. 451. 452. 453. 454. 455. 456. 457. 458. 459. 460. 461. 462. 463. 464. 465. 466. 467. 468. 469. 470. 471. 472. 473. 474. 475. 476. 477. 478. 479. 480. 481. 482. 483. 484. 485. 486. 487. 488. 489. 490. 491. 492. 493. 494. 495. 496. 497. 498. 499. 500. 501. 502. 503. 504. 505. 506. 507. 508. 509. 510. 511. 512. 513. 514. 515. 516. 517. 518. 519. 520. 521. 522. 523. 524. 525. 526. 527. 528. 529. 530. 531. 532. 533. 534. 535. 536. 537. 538. 539. 540. 541. 542. 543. 544. 545. 546. 547. 548. 549. 550. 551. 552. 553. 554. 555. 556. 557. 558. 559. 560. 561. 562. 563. 564. 565. 566. 567. 568. 569. 570. 571. 572. 573. 574. 575. 576. 577. 578. 579. 580. 581. 582. 583. 584. 585. 586. 587. 588. 589. 590. 591. 592. 593. 594. 595. 596. 597. 598. 599. 600. 601. 602. 603. 604. 605. 606. 607. 608. 609. 610. 611. 612. 613. 614. 615. 616. 617. 618. 619. 620. 621. 622. 623. 624. 625. 626. 627. 628. 629. 630. 631. 632. 633. 634. 635. 636. 637. 638. 639. 640. 641. 642. 643. 644. 645. 646. 647. 648. 649. 650. 651. 652. 653. 654. 655. 656. 657. 658. 659. 660. 661. 662. 663. 664. 665. 666. 667. 668. 669. 670. 671. 672. 673. 674. 675. 676. 677. 678. 679. 680. 681. 682. 683. 684. 685. 686. 687. 688. 689. 690. 691. 692. 693. 694. 695. 696. 697. 698. 699. 700. 701. 702. 703. 704. 705. 706. 707. 708. 709. 710. 711. 712. 713. 714. 715. 716. 717. 718. 719. 720. 721. 722. 723. 724. 725. 726. 727. 728. 729. 730. 731. 732. 733. 734. 735. 736. 737. 738. 739. 740. 741. 742. 743. 744. 745. 746. 747. 748. 749. 750. 751. 752. 753. 754. 755. 756. 757. 758. 759. 760. 761. 762. 763. 764. 765. 766. 767. 768. 769. 770. 771. 772. 773. 774. 775. 776. 777. 778. 779. 780. 781. 782. 783. 784. 785. 786. 787. 788. 789. 790. 791. 792. 793. 794. 795. 796. 797. 798. 799. 800. 801. 802. 803. 804. 805. 806. 807. 808. 809. 810. 811. 812. 813. 814. 815. 816. 817. 818. 819. 820. 821. 822. 823. 824. 825. 826. 827. 828. 829. 830. 831. 832. 833. 834. 835. 836. 837. 838. 839. 840. 841. 842. 843. 844. 845. 846. 847. 848. 849. 850. 851. 852. 853. 854. 855. 856. 857. 858. 859. 860. 861. 862. 863. 864. 865. 866. 867. 868. 869. 870. 871. 872. 873. 874. 875. 876. 877. 878. 879. 880. 881. 882. 883. 884. 885. 886. 887. 888. 889. 890. 891. 892. 893. 894. 895. 896. 897. 898. 899. 900. 901. 902. 903. 904. 905. 906. 907. 908. 909. 910. 911. 912. 913. 914. 915. 916. 917. 918. 919. 920. 921. 922. 923. 924. 925. 926. 927. 928. 929. 930. 931. 932. 933. 934. 935. 936. 937. 938. 939. 940. 941. 942. 943. 944. 945. 946. 947. 948. 949. 950. 951. 952. 953. 954. 955. 956. 957. 958. 959. 960. 961. 962. 963. 964. 965. 966. 967. 968. 969. 970. 971. 972. 973. 974. 975. 976. 977. 978. 979. 980. 981. 982. 983. 984. 985. 986. 987. 988. 989. 990. 991. 992. 993. 994. 995. 996. 997. 998. 999. 1000.

A flock of 10-12 birds in a field of  
mud and a few birds in the air.

→ Aug 14 - In a field of mud and a few birds in the air.  
a coffee berry bush and, through  
my binoculars, at short range,  
saw a small, black-rumped bird  
as a hawk does when!

Sept 11 - Migrating Warblers

Sept 15 - A Jaeger at Aguascalientes.  
Chaco-Torres-Torres all the way to  
the Jaeger's nest.

Friday, Nov. 28, 1930

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Saturday, Nov. 29, 1930

1941

Sept 20. Santa Cruz. 2 Mockingbirds  
imitated the San Diego Western Gnatcatcher.  
Spotted Towhees - edge of forest.  
Three Redwings - (Edwards?) flying  
close to the surface of the water. Great  
Raptors very high. Delighted on the water.

Sept. 22. Saw a family of Quail on  
Moccasin Pt. - four young. The only  
one I have seen since last summer.

Sept. 24. Inverness via Sear Point.  
Sear Pt. 28 specimens.

1 Snowy Egret 1 C. Wren  
To Pt. Reyes Station - + 7 specimens.  
Dark Sparrows.

Ulmus - dark - dark leaves. 14.

Redwing, Yellowthroat, Towhee.

Break woods - + 10.

Sept. 25. Inverness.

Birds very close near the big meadow.

Many birds seen here and there.

Also Pygmy Nuthatch, 1st. 1st. 1st.

W.W. Wren, Townsend's Warbler.

To Lighthouse. Say Charles. Tule Wren.

Savannah Sparrows, Yellow Saltmarsh.

(over)

Sunday, Nov. 30, 1930

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Tuesday, Dec. 2, 1930

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# Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1930

1942

Jan 1 - Arrived at Sydney, N.S.W. & to Kyneton, Victoria

Jan 14 - Flock of 100 - 1000

Jan 15 - 1000 - 1000

Feb 14 - 1000 - 1000

Feb 27 - Arrived at Sydney, N.S.W.

Mar 1 - 1000 - 1000

Mar 16 - Mornington Peninsula

Mar 24 - 1000 - 1000

Mar 25 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 5 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 12 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 19 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 26 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 27 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 28 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 29 - 1000 - 1000

Apr 30 - 1000 - 1000

May 2 - To Mannamance (May 21)

May 9 - 1000 - 1000



Thursday, Dec. 4, 1930

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Friday, Dec. 5, 1930

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Saturday, Dec. 6, 1930

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Sunday, Dec. 7, 1930

1942

May 24 - ... ..

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May 25 - ... ..

May 26 - ... ..

June 2 - ... ..

June 3 - ... ..

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June 11 - ... ..

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June 12 - ... ..

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June 13 - ... ..

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June 14 - ... ..

June 15 - ... ..

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July 1 - ... ..

July 2 - ... ..

July 3 - ... ..

July 4 - ... ..

July 5 - ... ..

July 6 - ... ..

Scott - ... ..

Monday, Dec. 8, 1930

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Tuesday, Dec. 9, 1930

1930

Aug 11 - ... ..  
 Aug 21 - ... ..  
 Aug 22 - ... ..

Sept 1 - ... ..  
 Sept 2 - ... ..  
 Sept 3 - ... ..

Sept 4 - ... ..  
 Sept 5 - ... ..  
 Sept 6 - ... ..

Sept 7 - ... ..

Oct 4 - ... ..

Nov 1 - ... ..

Nov 2 - ... ..

Nov 3 - ... ..

Nov 4 - ... ..

Nov 18 - ... ..

Dec 5 - ... ..

Dec 11 - ... ..

Dec 27 - 6 Bluebirds

Dec 31 - ... ..

Wednesday, Dec. 10, 1930

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Thursday, Dec. 11, 1930

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# Memoranda

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# Counting-House Calendar

## 1931

**HALLIDAY'S**  
STATIONERY  
GREETING CARDS  
2387 Telegraph Ave.  
Berkeley, Cal.

|               | Sun. | Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thurs. | Fri. | Sat. |              | Sun. | Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thurs. | Fri. | Sat. |
|---------------|------|------|-------|------|--------|------|------|--------------|------|------|-------|------|--------|------|------|
| <b>JAN.</b>   | ...  | ...  | ...   | ...  | 1      | 2    | 3    | <b>JULY.</b> | ...  | ...  | ...   | 1    | 2      | 3    | 4    |
|               | 4    | 5    | 6     | 7    | 8      | 9    | 10   |              | 5    | 6    | 7     | 8    | 9      | 10   | 11   |
|               | 11   | 12   | 13    | 14   | 15     | 16   | 17   |              | 12   | 13   | 14    | 15   | 16     | 17   | 18   |
|               | 18   | 19   | 20    | 21   | 22     | 23   | 24   |              | 19   | 20   | 21    | 22   | 23     | 24   | 25   |
| <b>FEB.</b>   | 25   | 26   | 27    | 28   | 29     | 30   | 31   | <b>AUG.</b>  | 26   | 27   | 28    | 29   | 30     | 31   | ...  |
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| <b>MARCH.</b> | 15   | 16   | 17    | 18   | 19     | 20   | 21   | <b>SEPT.</b> | 16   | 17   | 18    | 19   | 20     | 21   | 22   |
|               | 22   | 23   | 24    | 25   | 26     | 27   | 28   |              | 23   | 24   | 25    | 26   | 27     | 28   | 29   |
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| <b>APRIL.</b> | 8    | 9    | 10    | 11   | 12     | 13   | 14   | <b>OCT.</b>  | 6    | 7    | 8     | 9    | 10     | 11   | 12   |
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| <b>MAY.</b>   | ...  | ...  | ...   | 1    | 2      | 3    | 4    | <b>NOV.</b>  | ...  | ...  | ...   | ...  | 1      | 2    | 3    |
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| <b>JUNE.</b>  | 26   | 27   | 28    | 29   | 30     | ...  | ...  | <b>DEC.</b>  | 25   | 26   | 27    | 28   | 29     | 30   | 31   |
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